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SHIPPING.

## P. & O.

AND

## BRITISH INDIA

(Companies Incorporated in England.)

**MAIL & PASSENGER SERVICE**

Sailings to Plymouth and London. Calling at Marseilles.

All passengers required to be in possession of passports.

| Date. | Steamer. | Tons. |
|---|---|---|
| 1921 | | |
| 18th June .. | "MALWA" * .. | 10,911 |
| 25th „ .. | "NEURALIA" .. | 9,082 |
| 2nd July, .. | "KASHGAR" .. | 8,840 |
| 9th „ .. | "KARMALA" .. | 8,983 |
| 16th „ .. | "DELTA" † .. | 8,087 |
| 23rd „ .. | "NARKUNDA" * .. | 16,115 |
| 30th „ .. | "MOREA" .. | 10,890 |
| 6th August .. | "CALEDONIA" .. | 7,572 |
| 13th „ .. | "SYRIA" † .. | 6,683 |
| 20th „ .. | "MANTUA" * .. | 10,902 |
| 27th „ .. | "DEVANHA" .. | 8,092 |

† "DELTA" } Through steamers from
"SYRIA" } China calling Bombay for mails only.

"MALWA" }
* "NARKUNDA" } Through steamers from
"MANTUA" } Australia.

P. & O. MARSEILLES SPECIAL TRAIN. A special train leaves Marseilles for London via Boulogne shortly after the mail steamers arrival.

P. & O. SAILINGS FOR THE STRAITS, CHINA AND AUSTRALIA.

| Date | Steamers | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|
| 21th June .. | "KALYAN" | To Colombo, Straits and China. |
| 16th „ .. | "MANTUA" | From Colombo to Australian Ports. |

* Through steamer from London.

SAILINGS TO AFRICA, KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF.

| Date about | Steamer. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|
| 16th June.. | KARAPARA.. | East & South Africa. |
| 18th „ .. | LINGA .. | Karachi direct or on arrival of English Mail. |
| 30th „ .. | PURNEA .. | Persian Gulf. |

Terms and Rates of Freights and Passage for P. and O. and B. I. sailings may be arranged with.

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P. O. Box 122

NOTICE.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT MERCHANT MARINE LTD. AND B. I. S. N. CO.'S JOINT SERVICE.

CALCUTTA TO HALIFAX DIRECT TAKING CARGO FOR TRANSHIPMENT.

| Steamers | Tons | sailing about | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|
| Canadian Leader | 5500 | In August | Montreal |

Terms Rates of Freight and Passages may be arranged with:—

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OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA

(Incorporated in Japan.)

REGULAR SERVICE TO JAPAN VIA SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

| Steamer. | Captain. | Arrival. | Departure. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Honolulu Maru | K. Hirano | 25th May | 18th June |
| Ganges Maru | T. Inouye | 4th June | 20th June |
| Indo Maru | Y. Fuseno | 18th June | 28th June |
| Paking Maru | K. Yamaguchi | 28th June | 10th July. |

*No Passenger Accommodation

K. SHIMA,
Manager.
Ballard Road, Bombay.

SHIPPING.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Japan Mail Steamship Co., Ltd.,
(Incorporated in Japan.)
REGULAR SERVICE TO JAPAN VIA SINGAPORE, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

| Steamer. | Commander. | Tons. | Arrival. | Departure. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tajima Maru | K. Takano. | 6995. | 11th June | 23rd June. |
| * Kenkon Maru No. 8. | N. Akai | 4668. | 20th June | 30th June, |
| Tatsuno Maru | G. Ota. | 6995. | 0 h June | 11th July |
| Calcutta Maru | G. Matsushita | 5339. | 19th July | 31st July. |
| †Sanuki Maru | Y. Nakajima | 5872. | 29th July | 2nd August. |

* This Steamer has no passenger accomodation.
† This Steamer arrives from New York, and Sails for Calcutta *via* Colombo.

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INCORPORATED UNDER THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT VI OF 1882.
ORIENTAL BUILDINGS, BOMBAY.
BRANCH: AHMEDABAD.

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED | 2,00,00,000 |
| CAPITAL PAID-UP | 1,00,00,000 |
| RESERVE FUND | 70,00,000 |

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest is allowed on daily balance from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,00,000 AT THE RATE OF 2½ PER CENT. PER ANNUM THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. On sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,000, interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest will be allowed which does not amount to Rs. 3 per half year.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Deposits are received fixed for one year or for shorter period at the rates of interest which can be ascertained on application

SAVINGS BANK Accounts opened on favourable terms. Rules on application.

H. A. STRINGFELLOW,
Manager.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

(Incorporated in Hongkong.)

| | |
|---|---|
| PAID-UP CAPITAL | $15,000,000 |
| STERLING RESERVE FUND | £ 2,500,000 |
| SILVER RESERVE FUND | $21,500,000 |
| RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS | $15,000,000 |

HEAD OFFICE: HONGKONG.
LONDON OFFICE: 9, Gracechurch Street, K. C.
BOMBAY OFFICE: 49, Churchgate Street.
OTHER BRANCHES:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amoy | Johore | Saigon |
| Bangkok | Kobe | San Francisco |
| Batavia | Knala Lumpur | Shanghai |
| Calcutta | Lyons | Singapore |
| Canton | Malacca | Sourabaya |
| Colombo | Manila | Tientsic |
| Foochow | Nagasaki | Tsingtaec |
| Hankow | New York | Vladivostock |
| Harbin | Peking | Yloilo |
| Hongkow | Penang | Yokohama |
| Ipoh | Rangoon | |

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed half-yearly on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 at 2 per cent. per annum provided the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5.

FIXED DEPOSITS received for varying periods on terms which may be learnt on application.

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GENERAL BANKING AND EXCHANGE business undertaken.

R. R. HYND,
Agent.

THE TATA INDUSTRIAL BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: BOMBAY.

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|---|---|
| Subscribet Capital | Rs. 7,58,73,52 |
| Paid-up Capital and Reserves | Rs. 2,38,73,33 |
| Reserve Liability of Shareholders | Rs. 5,31,11,46 |

BRANCHES:
London Calcutta, Delhi, Cawnpore Hyderabad (Deccan), Lucknow, Madras, Rangoon
SUB-BRANCHES—
Bombay—Share Bazar 20, Apollo Street, Shroff Bazaar, 297, Shaik Memon Street, and Mandvi, Musjid Bunder Road.
Calcutta—Bora Bazaar.
Lucknow—Aminabad and Chandausi.
Cawnpore—Hathras.
London Office: 9, Bishopsgate.
London, E. C
Sir D J Tata, Kt, Chairman, Board of Directors..

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed on daily credit balances from Rs. 500/ to Rs. 1,00,000/ at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum, and on sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,0000/ interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest is allowed unless the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5 half-yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS.—Interest allowed Deposits fixed for one or two years and for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

LOANS AND CASH CREDITS are granted on approved Securities.

PURCHASES AND SALES OF Securities and Shares effected.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE purchased and collected and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

NOTICE to Savings Bank depositors from April 1st, 1921, interest on Saving Bank accounts has been INCREASED from 3 per cent. to 3½ per cent. per annum.

L. D. L BUCKLEY.
General Manager.

BANKING.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

(REGISTERED IN JAPAN.)
(ESTABLISHED, 1880.)

| | |
|---|---|
| Subscribed Capital | Yen. 100,000,000 |
| Paid Up Capital | Yen. 100,000,000 |
| Reserve Fund | Yen. 53,000,000 |

HEAD OFFICE: YOKOHAMA.
BRANCHES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Batavia. | Kobe. | San Francisco. |
| Bombay. | London. | Seattle |
| Buenos Aires. | Los Angeles. | Shanghai. |
| Calcutta. | Lyons. | Shimonoseki |
| Changchun. | Manila. | Singapore. |
| Dairen. | Nagasaki. | Sourabaya. |
| Fengtien | Newchwang. | Sydney. |
| Hamburg. | New York. | Tientsin. |
| Hankow. | Osaka. | Tokyo. |
| Harbin. | Peking. | Tsinan. |
| Hongkong. | Rangoon. | Tsingtau. |
| Honolulu. | Rio de Janeiro | Vladivostock. |
| Kai Yuan. | Saigon. | |

CURRENT DEPOSITS ACCOUNTS are opened for approved customers and interest is allowed at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 provided that the amount of half-yearly interest is not less than Rs. 5.

FIXED DEPOSITS are received for one year or shorter period on terms which may be ascertained on application.

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(Incorporated in England.)
HEAD OFFICE:—4, Crosby Square, London, E. C. 3
BRANCHES:

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|---|---|
| Amara | Bombay |
| Baghdad | Calcutta |
| Bahrein | Colombo |
| Basrah | Hillah |
| Basrah City | Mosul |

| | |
|---|---|
| Authorised Capital | £2,000,000 |
| Paid-up Capital | £ 995,00 |
| Reserve Fund | £ 266,00 |
| Reserve Liability of Shareholders | £1,005,000 |

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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BILLS OF EXCHANGE purchased. Loans and Credits granted on approved security and every description of Banking and Exchange Business undertaken. Purchases and sales of British and Foreign securities effected on usual terms.

SECURITIES received for safe custody and interest and dividends collected for clients.

L. F. TUCKER,
Manager.

THE PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 15TH MAY, 1915.

| | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Capital Authorised | 50,00,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Capital Issued | 50,00,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Capital Subscribed | 47,28,900 | 0 | 0 |
| Capital Paid-up | 18,33,254 | 15 | 2 |
| Reserve Funds | 15,70,284 | 2 | 0 |

Dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum has been declared by the Bank on paid-up capital.

HEAD OFFICE: LAHORE.
BRANCHES:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amritsar | Hyderabad (Sindh) | Multan City |
| Bombay | Jullundu | Montgomery |
| Cawnpore | Jammu | Peshawar City |
| Calcutta | Jhelum City | Patiala |
| Delhi | Karachi | Quetta |
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| Gujranwalla | Lyallpur | Sialkot |
| Gojra | Ludhiana | Srinagar |
| Hapur | | Umballa City |
| Moshiarpur | | |

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened and interest allowed at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.

FIXED DEPOSITS are received for 12 months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSIT.—Sums as low as Rs. 5 received and interest allowed at 3½ per cent. per annum.

LOANS, OVERDRAFTS and CASH CREDITS.—The Bank grants accommodation of terms to be arranged against approved security.

CHEQUES, HUNDIS, BILLS, etc., of outstations are bought, collected and discounted.

INLAND TRADE BILLS, etc., of approved customers discounted and Demand Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers issued on stations where the Bank has Branches and Agencies.

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HEAD OFFICE: Baroda.

BRANCHES: Ahmedabad, Navsari, Mehsana, Bahhoi Surat, Petlad, Patan, Amrel and Bombay.

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| Capital Subscribed | 60,00,000 |
| Capital Paid-up | 23,86,280 |
| Reserve Fund | 16,00,000 |

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

INTEREST allowed on daily balances from Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,00,000 at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum and on sums over Rs. 1,00,000 by special arrangement. No interest which does not come to Rs. 3 per half year will be allowed.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Received for long or short periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

LOANS, OVERDRAFTS AND CASH CREDITS.

The Bank grants accommodation on terms to be arranged against approved securities. The Bank undertakes on behalf of its constituents the safe custody of shares and securities and the collection of dividends and interest thereon it also undertakes the sale and purchase of Government Paper and all description of stock at moderate charges, particulars of which may be learnt on application.

SAVING BANK DEPOSITS.

Deposits received and interest allowed at per cent. per annum. Rules on application.

C. E. RANDLE,
General Manager.

THE UNION BANK OF INDIA LIMITED.

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|---|---|
| AUTHORISED CAPITAL | 5,00,00,000 |
| SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL | 3,97,61,500 |
| CALLED-UP CAPITAL | 60,00,000 |
| PAID-UP CAPITAL ON 18-8-20 | 59,76,150 |

HEAD OFFICE:
7. Murzban Road, Fort BOMBAY.
SUB-BRANCHES:
Zaveri Bazar, 289, Shaik Memon Street. Share Bazar, Rogay Building. Apollo Street.

LONDON AGENTS:
THE LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS:—Interest allowed at 2½ per cent. per annum on DAILY BALANCES up to Rs. 1,00,000. From 1st January to 30th June interest at 2 per cent. per annum is allowed on sums over Rs. 50,000 provided the balance does not fall below that figure. No interest is allowed unless the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 3 half-yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year and for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANKS. Interest allowed at per cent. per annum. Rules on application.

LOANS AND CASH CREDITS are granted on approved securities at favourable rates.

SHARES AND SECURITIES purchased and sold

Banking business of every description transacted

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Ag. Manager.

THE BANK OF MORVI LTD.

(REGISTERED IN BOMBAY.)

HEAD OFFICE:—Fort Bombay.
BRANCHES:—Shroff Bazar (Bombay) and Surat.

LONDON AGENTS:—The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

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|---|---|
| Subscribed Capital | Rs. 1,00,00,000 |
| Paid-Up Capital | Rs. 40,00,000 |
| Reserve Liability for Calls | Rs. 60,00,000 |
| Reserve and Contingency Funds | Rs. 2,63,000 |

CURRENT ACCOUNTS.—Interest at 3 per cent. all round the year on sums of Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,00,000.

FIXED DEPOSITS:—Received for 12 months and shorter periods.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS:—Received at 4 per cent.

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903, Horr Bo Fort, Bombay.

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Sir Hukamchand Saroopchand, Kt.
Jamshed K. Tarachand, Esq. Bar-at-Law.
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## PUBLIC NOTICES.

### THE UNION BANK OF INDIA

OWING to unforseen delays in the completion of the Bank's new premises in Apollo Street, we regret that the removal from our present premises at Murzban Road advertised to take place on the 9th. instant has been POSTPONED to a later date which due notice will be given.

A. B. OLIPHANT,
Ag. Manager.

7, Murzban Road,
6th, June, 1921.

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3 DOWN.

| | H. | M. |
|---|---|---|
| Neral dep. ..... | 10 | 10 |
| Matheran arr. ..... | 11 | 45 |

6 UP.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Matheran dep. ..... | 15 | 30 |
| Neral arr. ..... | 16 | 55 |

2. 2 Up will only be run on Sunday, the 12th instant, leaving Matheran at 8 arriving Neral at 9-25 hours.

D. S. BURN,
Ag. General Traffic Manager,
G. I. P. Railway.

Bombay, 10th June, 1921.

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### THE COORLA SPINNING & WEAVING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTYNINTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Readymoney Building, Apollo Pier Road, on Wednesday the 15th June 1921 at 5 p.m. (Standard Time) to transact the following business:—

I. To receive the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts made up to 31st March 1921.
II. To declare a Dividend.
III. To confirm the appointment of Messrs. Byramjee R. B. Jeejeebhoy and Kikabhai Premchand.
IV. To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation.
V. To appoint an Auditor or Auditors for the current year and fix his or their remuneration.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Wednesday the 8th June to Wednesday the 22nd June, both, days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
COWASJEE JEHANGIR & Co., Ld.
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.

Readymoney Building,
Apollo Pier Road, Fort, Bombay.

N. B.—The Dividend, when declared, will be made payable at the Registered Office of the Company on and after Monday the 20th June 1921 to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Register on the 8th June, on production of their Share Certificates.

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## PUBLIC NOTICES.

### BOMBAY VETERINARY COLLEGE.

THE First Term of the next Session commences on MONDAY, the 1st August, 1921. Students who desire to enter the College should present themselves on that date at 10 a.m.

Students unless they possess the School Leaving Certificate or have passed the Government Service Examination must sit for a special Examination at the College on August 1st at 10 a.m.

All candidates for admission to the College must pass an Examinatton in physical fitness to be held at the College on August 1st and following days.

All candidates must produce certificates of moral character.

Those candidates who desire to obtain scholarships (Value Rs. 20 per mensem) must present themselves on 1st JULY at 10 a.m. Only those who have passed the Matriculation, School Final or Government Service Examination or possess the School Leaving Certificate are eligible for selection as scholars.

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

THE PRINCIPAL,
Bombay Veterinary College.

Parel, Bombay, 6th June, 1921.

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### IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

ADVANCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

6 P. C. FIVE AND TEN YEAR BONDS.

THE BANK is prepared to give advances to approved constituents who wish to subscribe to the above on the following terms until further notice.

(1) The Bank will advance 95 per cent. of the amount applied for, the Borrower paying the remaining 5 per cent. at the time application is made.

(2) The Borrower must undertake to repay the advance by monthly instalments of not less than 4 per cent. Thus if a Borrower applies for Rs. 10,000 of Bonds he will require to make an initial payment of Rs. 500 and regular monthly payments of Rs. 400 for 23 months and payment of Rs. 300 on the 24th month.

(3) The rate of interest to be charged on the advance will be 5½ per cent.

(4) Borrowers are at full liberty to repay advances more rapidly than is indicated above.

(5) In the event of a Borrower failing to pay any monthly instalment the Bank reserves to itself the right to demand payment of the advance and on failure by the borrower to make such repayment, to sell the securities. Should the Bank decide not to exercise these rights, interest will be charged at Bank rate on the balance of the advance outstanding with a minimum of 6 per cent.

(6) The Scrip will be held by the Bank as security for the advance. Borrowers must keep with the Bank, at all times, sufficient security to cover the amount advanced plus 5 per cent. margin.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
N. M. MURRAY, (Offg).
Managing Governors.

Imperial Bank of India,
Bombay, 6th July 1921.

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### SIR HUKAMCHAND AND DALMIA COTTON & OIL MILLS, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company, will be held on MONDAY, the 27th June 1921 at 1 p.m. (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, 566-88, Shaikh Memon Street, Bombay, to transact the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account of the Company for the period ended 31st March 1921.
2. To sanction the declaration of a dividend.
3. To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation but who are eligible for re-election.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.
5. To transact such other business as the Chairman may bring before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company, will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 17th to THURSDAY, the 30th June, 1921, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
Sir HUKAMCHAND & BALKISHANDAS
& Co.,
Managing Agents.

Bombay, 11th June, 1921.

N. B.—The Dividend when declared will be made payable at the Company's Registered Office, on and after FRIDAY, the 1st July 1921 to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Register on the 17th day of June 1921 on production of Share Certificates.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. TYEBJI ABDULHUSSEIN RESHAMWALLA, EBRAHIM ABDULHUSSEIN RESHAMWALLA, ASMABOO, wife of Hebutbhoy Abdeally, NIANLOOTA, wife of Ahmedbhai Abdelli Busrai, ALLARAKHI, wife of Tyebbhoy Salebhoy of Bombay Borah Mahomedan Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 48, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of land, situated on the Mody Bay, Port Trust Estate, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 444 4/9 square yards be the same more or less and bounded as follows:—That is to say on or towards the North by Malwan Street, on or towards the West by the Frere Road aforesaid, on or towards the East and South by vacant ground belonging to the said Trustees and on or towards the North by Frere Road and which said premises are registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 8480 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under A Ward No. 2853 and Street No. 121 and in the Registration District and Sub-district of Bombay.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1921.

UNWALLA PHEROZSHA & PAPA,
Purchaser's Attorneys

C9708 Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

## AUCTION SALE

### MESSRS SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

Auctioneers and Commission Agents,
(21, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.)

IMPORTANT TO CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.

Messrs. SORABJI COWASJI & Co., will by order of the Controller (sales) Surplus Government stores sell by Public Auction on Wednesday 15th June, 1921 at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) at turpentine godewn, near No. 6 Alexandra Dock the following.

About 776 lbs. ether specific gravity 720.
About 1135 lbs. ether specific gravity 735.
Pure Hydrochloric Acid and Benziline.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of knocking the lots to the buyers and balance shall be paid and goods cleared within three days from the day of sale.

SALE OF 11 CASES COTTON SUITING.

Messrs SORABJI COWASJI & Co., will on WEDNESDAY, the 15th June, 1921, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.), sell by public auction at their sale room the following.

Order of the office concerned and on account and at the risk of "defaulting indentor Mr. Sunderdas Padamsey.

Per ex S.S. "Olimpia."

K P/SS/K CO.—80/82 and 84/91.

11 cases each 20 pieces cotton suiting 54in. by 33/40 yds.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of knocking the lot to the buyer and the balance shall be paid and the goods removed within three days from the date of sale.

P.S.—Attention of Merchants is drawn to the following facts, viz., that the above mentioned merchant has converted the draft in Rupees and deposited the goods with a bank in Rupee Loan account on the 12th August, 1920, and this being much before the resolution passed by the Indian Merchants Piece-goods Association on the 22nd December, 1920, it can not prevent merchants from buying these goods.

SALE BY ORDER OF THE CONTROLLER (SALES) SURPLUS GOVERNMENT STORES.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co., will by order of the Controller (Sales) Surplus Government Stores sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 16th June, 1921, at 2-30 p.m., at the Government Stores Depot, Hajee Bunder. Sewree the Government Surplus Stores, consisting of large lot of hardware leather goods, tools and other surplus stores.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of knocking the lot to the buyer and the balance shall be paid within seven days and the goods removed within 14 days from the date of sale.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.,
Auctioneers

Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

### RUSSERWANJI SORABJI & CO.

Government Auctioneers,

AUCTION SALE.

Sale of copper tubes, brass tubes, copper and brass tanks, old and new canvas, plate iron, scrapiron, angle-iron, old furniture, crockery, old clothes, old hospital iron cots, iron chain brass, copper, zinc, lead, gas cylinders iron tanks of 400 gallons, manilla ropes, coir etc., etc. Too numerous to mention.

Under kind instructions from the Director Royal Indian Marine, Messrs. NUSSERWANJI SORABJI & Co., will sell by Public Auction on MONDAY, the 20th June, 1921, at 2-30 p.m. and the following days as may be necessary in the compound of Government Dockyard, Fort, Bombay. Sale will be subject to the approval of the Director Royal Indian Marine Bombay. Purchasers will have to pay fifty per cent. deposit immediately when the lot is knocked down to him and remove such lot within fifteen days. In case of default the lot will be resold if so occasioned, while he will have no claim to profit on such resale or to the amount of such deposit.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undersigned and the same will be declared at the time of sale.

1 400 lamps 125 Volts dynamo.
1 55 H P Hornsby oil engine both are in working order and can be seen at Electric shop. In Government Dockyard.
1 Small Motor Launch with dynamo and engine can be open to inspection on any working day.

NUSSERWANJI SORABJI & Co.,
Government Auctioneers,
71 Frere Road, Fort, Bombay.

Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

### MESSRS. MODY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS.
Medows Street Fort.
Opp. the New Share Bazar Bombay.

AUCTION SALE THIS DAY OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT TANDEL STREET.

By order of Messrs Sabnis and Goregaoker Attorneys for the Transferee Mr. Ramchander Balkrishna Rawoot and on account and at the risk of the following mortgagors: Koolsumbai, widow of Shaikh Hassam bin Mahomed Hassam Chawulkar; Hawabai, widow of Shaikh Ismail bin Shaikh Hassam Chawulkar, Amoomia bin Shaikh Hassam Chawulkar, Shaikh Mahomed bin Shaikh Hassam Chawulkar, Hawabibi wife of Shaikh Ismail Jawlikar and Fatmabai daughter of Shaikh Hassam bin Mahomed Hassam Chawulkar and by the power of the transfers of mortgage, Messrs. Mody and Co. Auctioneers are instructed to sell by public auction THIS DAY WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of June 1021, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises.

PARTICULARS OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground together with the messuage tonement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Tandel Street without the Fort of Bombay in the registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement fifteen feet and two inches in breadth and seventy six feet in length or thereabout registered by the collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 2/3159 and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under B Ward No. 2783 and Street Nos. 55-59 and bounded on the East by the Sweeper's Passage on the North by the house of Mahomed Sayd bin Abdul Cadar Moorgay on the West by the said Tandel Street and on the South by the house appertaining to the Tandel Street.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Sabnis and Goregaoker attorneys for the Transferee at their office in Tamarind Lane, above the Shilotri Bank, Ld., Fort, or the undersigned.

MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

## AUCTION SALE.

### MESSRS RICHARD AND READYMONEY.

Auctioneers 41, Esplanade Road, Fort.

AUCTION SALE ON WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant, at 2-30 p.m. at 41, Esplanade Road, next to Messrs. Mulla & Mulla, Solicitor's office. The following valuable furnitures, silver articles, gold and silver watches, Typewriter, iron safe with stand, carpets, electric table lamp, fans, stand, old boots and shoes, etc., etc.

Messrs. RICHARD & READYMONEY, Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), At above address, drawing room furnitures, office, furnitures, large and small carpets, very strongly made by order Iron Safe with Stand, Rocking chair, Revolving chair, writing table Royal and Ramington latest model Typewriter gold and silver watches, phonograph with records, one lot of old boots and shoes, etc., etc.

Property on view.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale and the balance should be paid next day against delivery.

RICHARD & READYMONEY.
Auctioneers & Commission Agents.

Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

### CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS BOMBAY.
Telephone No. 521.

AUCTION SALE OF THE FURNITURE, CROCKERY, COOKING UTENSILS, ETC. ETC.

By the order of H. C. B. Mitchell, Esq., Acting Administrator-General of Bombay and the Administrator-General of the Estate, of late Mr. A. M. Jacob (deceased). Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 27th June, 1921, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), at their Rooms No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort:—

Cupboard, sofa, chairs, dining table, dumb-waiter, side-board, chest of drawers meatsafe, enamelled ware, crockery, alluminium utensils, wearing-apparels, etc., etc.

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

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A C 9638

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A 495

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A C9648

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A C 9709

THE ROYAL INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, BOMBAY.—APPLICATIONS are invited to fill posts as Laboratory Assistants in the Chemistry, Physics and Biology Departments of the Royal Institute of Science. The pay will be 90-5-115 (without temporary and provisional allowance.) Applicants must state their ages, laboratory experiences and produce evidence of training in metal and wood work. C. J. J. FOX, PRINCIPAL, Royal Institute of Science, Bombay.
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WANTED—An ASSISTANT ENGINEE for P.W.D. Nawanagar State. Pay of the place is Rs. 150 to Rs. 200 per month plus Rs. 25 for conveyance. Travelling allowance admissible as per State rules. Only men with at least ten years' practical experience in roads, building and irrigation works need apply. To a really suitable man maximum salary of the post may be offered. D. B. KORA, L.C.E., A.M.Am.Soc. C.E., M.I. Mun E. &c., State Engineer, Nawanagar State.
A C9702

WANTED.—A SECRETARY for the Ajmer Municipality on a salary of Rs. 350-20-450 p.m., with horse allowance of Rs. 50 p.m. Applicants should hold a Bachelor of Civil Engineering degree or any other degree of a recognised University equivalent to it, and should be strong in English. He should be a man of good administrative capacity with experience of Municipal affairs. He will have to give security for Rs. 5,000 on taking charge of office. The appointment will be on probation for six months and if on the expiry of that period he is confirmed he will have to execute a bond to the effect that he shall remain in the service of the Municipality for at least 5 years. The post is non-pensionable. Candidates should submit their applications to the under signed, with copies of testimonials which will not be returned, by the 1st of August, 1921. CHAIRMAN, Municipal Committee, Ajmer. (Rajputana.)
A C 9611

## SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED.—A competent ACCOUNTS CLERK for a first Class Hotel in Bombay. Apply immediately stating terms wit copies of testimonials to Box No. 4078, Advt. Dep. "Bombay Chronicle."
A C9683

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A R 515

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A C 9697

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A C9711

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C R 492

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C R502

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C R446

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| Royal No. 5, Visible, 2 Cols., B. Spacer. | 175 |

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### YAMASHITA KISEN KAISHA LTD.

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R 519
M R 519

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

### IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY & INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration to the estate of the late SIRDAR BAHADUR KASHIRAO SAHEB, Survey of Gwalior, Hindu Inhabitant, deceased, a widower, late Commander-in-Chief of the Gwalior army limited to certain property held by him as a member of a Joint Hindu family ..... Deceased.

SADASIV RAO SURVEY, son of the abovenamed deceased of Gwalior, Hindu Inhabitant at present temporarily, residing at Worli, outside the Fort of Bombay .....Petitioner

All persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this seventh day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one and in the twelfth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

P. B. Malabari,
Registrar.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD.

The 7th day of June, 1921.

Messrs. PAYNE & CO.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
M C 9717

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On account and risk of the concerned.
14 Pedlocks Milner Mark 4020 M.A. W. 100 crates each 2 Bundles each of one dozen shovels, No. 3 round.
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One case White Embroidery lace of Bentley and Clifton.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

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One lot hand ambulances, axespikes, empty bottles, buckets, wooden casks corrugated iron sheets empty iron drums, galvanised W. I Pipes, and fittings, W. I. Ghumellis, canvas hose, I. R. lined lamps of sorts, wooden pieces of furniture, iron steel tools, articles of drawings, tapes angles, galvanised vent shafts, C. I. scraps, W. I scrap copper, head leather; rubber and canvas scraps, W. I Tanks, empty tins, brass, copper iron etc.

On TUESDAY, the 21st instant at 2-30 p.m. (B.T.) at Central Stores Chinchpogly:—one lot empty dealwood casess dealwood cases of kerosine oil tins, empty barrels, ink bottles ambulances, C. I. and W. I. scraps, etc., etc.

On WEDNESDAY, the 22nd instant at 2-30 pm. (B.T.) at Tardeo Foras Road Depot.

One lot W. I. scrap night soil drain carbodies, old water tanks, M I tyres and angles iron rings and loops, empty wooden barrels, rubber scraps canvas hose, empty tins of kerosine oil empty drums steam fire Engine Boiler etc, etc.

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Bombay, 15th June, 1921.

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# COMMERCIAL.

## CABLE QUOTATIONS.

CLOSING PRICES.

### AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, 8th June, 1921.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports | | 18,000 |
| " Exports to Great Britain | | 5,000 |
| " " to Continent | | 13,000 |
| Futures at New York | July | 12.63 |
| | Oct. | 13.44 |
| Futures at New York | Jan | 14.05 |
| Spot Cotton at New York | | 12.80 |
| Orleans | | 11.50 |
| Tone of Spot Cotton :— | | |
| Futures at New Orleans— | July | 12.23 |
| | Oct. | 13.93 |
| Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality) | | 7 |
| Demand Bills | | 3.75.00 |
| Silver commercial Bars U. S. Mined | | 99 1/4 |
| " " Foreign | | 68 1/8 |

### OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, 8th June, 1921.

| Months | To-days Prices. |
|---|---|
| June | |
| July | 8.25 |
| Aug. | |
| Sept. | 8.29 |
| Oct. | |
| Nov. | 8.62 |
| Dec. | |
| Jan. | |
| Feb. | 8.84 |
| Mar. | |
| April | |
| May | |

### CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, 8th June, 1921.

| Months | To-day's Prices |
|---|---|
| June | 8 05 |
| July | 8 21 |
| August | 8 34 |
| September | 8 46 |
| October | 8 58 |
| November | 8 64 |
| December | 8 73 |
| January | 8 79 |
| February | 8 83 |
| March | 8 85 |
| April | 8 92 |
| May | 8 95 |

Tone:—Quiet.

### COTTON.

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, 8th June, 1921.

| | |
|---|---|
| M.G. Bengal, Good | 4.55 |
| " " Fully Good | 5 05 |
| " " Fine | 5.30 |
| " a. 1 Oomra, Good | 5.55 |
| " " " Fully Good | 6 05 |
| " " " Fine | 6.30 |
| " MG Broach, Good | 7 02 |
| " " Fully Good | 7.45 |
| " " Fine | 7 70 |
| " Scinde, Good | 4.43 |
| " " Fully Good | 4.93 |
| " " Fine | 5.18 |

### COTTON.

Liverpool, 8th June, 1921.

| | |
|---|---|
| Total Day's Sales at Liverpool | 4,000 |
| " " Sales on Spec & for Exp. | |
| " " Sales of East Indians | 50 |
| " " Imports | |

EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Egyptian F G F Spot Quiet | 8 31 |
| Sakels | 16.00 |
| New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.) July | 12 51 |
| Oct | 13 29 |
| Jan | 13 81 |
| New Orleans 10 a.m.— July | 12 66 |
| Oct | 13 68 |

### EGYPTIAN COTTON.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, 8th June, 1921.

| Months | To-day's prices |
|---|---|
| June | 14/15 |
| July | 14/15 |
| Aug. | 14/15 |
| Sept. | 14/20 |
| Oct. | 14/30 |
| Nov. | 14/35 |
| Dec. | 14/40 |
| Jan. | 14/45 |

### MONEY MARKET.

London, 8th June, 1921.

| | |
|---|---|
| Rentes 3% | 57 |
| Bar Silver Spot | 34 7/8 |
| " 2 months hence | 34 1/2 |

Closing Tone of Silver:—India and China bought. Continont sold quiet.

| | |
|---|---|
| Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st | 5 9/16 |
| Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st | 5 5/8 |
| " Fine Trade Bills 3 months | 6 5/8 |
| " " " 6 " | 7 |
| Bar Gold (per oz) | |
| Interest day to day loans | 4 |
| 7 day Market loans | 5 |

Discount, Bank of England Rate 6 1/2 p. c. since 28th April 1921.

### EXCHANGE.

| | |
|---|---|
| On London in Paris | 47 10 |
| In Italy | 75 17 |
| In Germany | 263 00 |

### EXCHANGE ON CONTINENTAL CENTRES

MIDDLE QUOTATIONS

| | |
|---|---|
| Stockholm | 16 86 |
| Christiania | 25.88 |
| Amsterdam | 11.41 |
| Switzerland | 22.42 |
| Belgium | 47 45 |
| Athens | 10.75 |

### DISCOUNTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bank Bills 3 m/st | 5 9/16 |
| Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st | 5 5/8 |
| Fine Trade Bills 3 m/st | 5 5/8 |
| " " " 6 m/st | 7 |

London, 13th June 1921

| | |
|---|---|
| English Best Selected Copper | £73 1/4 |
| Standard Copper G M B | £73 1/4 |
| Tin Block | £164 1/2 |
| Rentes 5% | 43 |
| LINSEED CALCUTTA:— | £19 3/4 |
| June July value queit but steady | £20 |

New York, 13th June, 1921

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| Demand Bills | 374 25 |

### WHEATS.

London, 8th June, 1921.

| | |
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| BOZARD SANTA FE—6 lbs. | |
| June-Sellers | 84,0 |
| BARLETTA RUSS)—62 1/2 lbs. | 1 |
| AUSTRALIAN | 82 |
| KARACHI BARLEY F. A. Q. | 77 |

### SHARES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Chartered Bank | £14 1/8 |
| Hongkong Bank | £91 |
| National Bank | £39 |

### METALS.

London, 8th June, 1921.

| | |
|---|---|
| English best Selected Copper | £73 |
| Standard Copper G. M. B. | £73 |
| Copper Braziers | £112 |
| Yellow Metal | £3 3/4 |
| Hard Spelter | £2 |
| Corrugated Sheets | £27 |

### EXCHANGE.

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|---|---|
| On London at Paris | Fsance 47 33 |

### WAR LOANS, ETC.

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|---|---|
| Funding Loans 4 °/. 1960/90 | £72 |
| Victory Bonds 4 °/. | £77 3/4 |
| War Loans 5 °/. 1929/47 | £87 15/16 |
| Consols 2 1/2 °/. | £45 13/16 |
| Rupee Paper 3½ °/. | £38 |
| Indian Stock-3½ °/. Sterling Loans | 57 |
| Government Securities 3 °/. | £50 |
| 7 per-cent Indian Loan | 2 3/8 premium |

### RUBBER.

| | |
|---|---|
| Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure July-August | 111/4 |
| Plantation First Latex Crepe June, | 8 1/2 |

Tone:—Dull.

### JAVA SUGAR.

London, 13th June, 1921.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fine White Java C & F. Calcutta | |
| June, Sellers | 24/0 |
| July Sellers | 21 0 |
| August Sellers | 20 0 |
| Fine White Java C & F. Bombay | |
| July Sellers | 22/0 |
| August Sellers. | 21/0 |
| Fine White Java C & F Karachi | |
| July 21/3 and August Sellers | 21/3 |

Tone—

Firmer and better demand, very fair business.

## BOMBAY MARKETS

### COTTON.

(From our Correspondent.)

Bombay, June 14.

The Marwari Bazar opened this morning for Fully Good M. G. Broach July-August at Rs. 350 and after touching Rs. 351 gradually declined to Rs. 347½. It then again advanced to Rs. 349 which was the rate at 3 p.m. The Bazar finally closed at Rs. 351. At Colaba the market opened at Rs. 341 and closed at Rs. 355.

Our market for ready cotton was closed yesterday. It opens to-day with a quiet but steady feeling. The Receipts of cotton into Bombay continue to be large and so we would still advise our friends to sell their stock of ready cotton at present prices.

1st Marine Street, Dhobi Talao, Bombay.

### SPOT QUOTATION

Bombay, 14th June, 1921.

| Description | Super-Fine | F. Good | Good |
|---|---|---|---|
| M.G. Bengal and Sind | | | |
| " Punjab | 275 | 260 | 243 |
| M.G. Oomra's No. 4 | 321 | 311 | 296 |
| M.G. Central P. No. 1 | 351 | 341 | 326 |
| M.G. Central P. No. 2 | 336 | 326 | 311 |
| M.G. Broach | | 345 | 335 | 320 | 340 |
| Southerns 7 | | 365 | 355 |

Manchester market is dull and unchanged.

### COTTON CONTRACTS BOARD QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, 14th June, 1921.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| F. G. Broach | July August, | 350 |
| Fully Good Bengal | July, | 250 |
| Fine Oomra's | July, | 305 |
| " " | September, | 318 |

### CLOSING QUOTATIONS (6 p. m.)

Bombay 14th June 1921.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Fully Grod Byoach July-August | | 355 |
| " " Bengal | " | 253 |
| Fine Oomra | " | 312 |
| " " | September | 327 |

### RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of Cotton produce etc., for the 48 hours ending 6 p. m. on 13th June 1921.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cotton | 6,521 | Bales. |
| Wheat | 32,74 | Cwts |
| Linseed | 4,547 | " |
| Rape, etc. | 7 | " |
| Gingellyseed | 434 | " |
| Poppyseed | 46 | " |
| Groundnuts | 968 | " |
| Castorseed | 391 | " |
| Rice | 6,461 | " |
| Myrabollams | 801 | " |
| Cottonseed | 1,290 | " |
| Mowrasced | Nil | " |
| Gram | 1,671 | " |
| Juwar | 49 | " |
| Methi | Nil | " |
| Barley | 47 | " |
| Bajra | 553 | " |
| Coal | 1,940 | Tons |

### BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, 14th June, 1921.

| | Market Rates. |
|---|---|
| Bank Telegraphic | 1-3 1/2 |
| Bank Demand | 1-3 17/32 |
| Doc. Acceptance 3m/s | 1-4 |
| Fcs Demand | 290 |
| American Dollars | 419 |
| Hongkong Dollars | 203 |
| Shanghai | 180 1/2 |
| Japan | 1 9 |
| Singapore | 180 |

Market:—Steady.

### THE METAL MERCHANT'S COMPANY.

Issued Rates for Brass and Copper

Daily Quotations.

14th June, 1921.

| | Per Maund. | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brass | 3/4 | 84 | 8 | 0 |
| Do. | 1 | 87 | 0 | 0 |
| Do. | 1 1/4 | 87 | 0 | 0 |
| Do. | 1 1/2 | 86 | 8 | 0 |
| Do. | 1 3/4 | 90 | 0 | 0 |
| Do. | 2 | 94 | 0 | 0 |

### COPPER RATES.

Bombay, 14th June, 1921.

| | per Maund. | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Copper | 3/4 | 54 | 8 | 0 |
| Do | 1 | 92 | 0 | 0 |
| Do | 1 1/4 | 103 | 0 | 0 |
| Do. | 1 1/2 | 103 | 0 | 0 |
| Do. | 1 3/4 | 102 | 0 | 0 |
| Do. | 2 | 94 | 0 | 0 |
| Japanese Copper Bars | | | | |
| Panch seks Joint | | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Copper English Bars | | 86 | 0 | 0 |
| Brass-Bars | | 37 | 8 | 0 |
| Lead | | | | |

### WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The Bombay Wheat and Seeds Daily Quotations

Bazzar Rates

6 30 p. m 14th June, 1921. Bazaar Terms

| Ready | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat, White Delhi 70-80 | 70 | 0 | 0 |
| Wheat, White Cawnpore 70 80 | 68 | 0 | 0 |
| Wheat, Karachi Bangla | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Rapeseed, Brown Delhi | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Linseed, Brown Bold | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Linseed, Brown Thin | 13 | 6 | 0 |
| Teaseed, White 85-15 | 80 | 0 | 0 |
| Teaseed, Gajar 75-25 | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| Teaseed, Gajar 50-50 | 70 | 0 | 0 |
| Teaseed, Black | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Poppyseed, White | 14 | 4 | 0 |
| Groundnuts | 68 | 0 | 0 |

## THE WEATHER.

### RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

| Stations. | 24 hrs. to 8 a. m. of 1921. | Total since 1st June 1921. | June 1st to 13th 1919. | June 1st to 13th 1920. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | In. Ct. | In. Ct. | In. Ct. | In. Ct. |
| Colaba (Observatory) | 2 74 | 6 79 | 14 36 | 6 72 |
| Fort (St. Gs. Hpl.) | 2 49 | 6 04 | 15 11 | 7 0 |
| Esplanade (Gok. Tej Hospital .. | 2 38 | 8 56 | 15 11 | 7 50 |
| Byculla (J. J. Hpl.) | 1 76 | 2 95 | 16 94 | 0 00 |
| Kemp & Co. (C. Hill | .. | .. | .. | .. |

### GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 13th June, 1921.

Means of observations taken at 6 a m, 10 a m 2 p m, 4 p.m., and 10 p. m.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr | in. | 29 632 |
| Temperature of Air | degrees | 80 0 |
| Wet Bulb Thermometer | " | 77 1 |
| Dew Point | " | 76 1 |
| Relative humidity of Air | " | 0 831 |
| Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy—10) | | 8 6 |
| Maximum temperature of Air | degrees | 83 3 |
| Minimum do do | " | 76 4 |
| General direction of Wind | | S, S S E. S SW. |
| From Midnight to Midnight | | |
| Movement of Wind | miles | 237 |
| Fall of Rain | inches | 2 61 |
| Total fall during month | " | 6 89 |
| do. year | " | 6 89 |
| Additional fall of rain up to 10am of, 14th | | 0 94 |

### SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

HIGH WATER

| Day of Week. | Day of Month. | Bombay Mean Time h. | m. | Depth on Still ft. | in. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Monday | 20th June | mid | 56 | 24 | 4 |
| | | 11 | 39a | 26 | 0 |

LOW WATER

| Day of Week | Day of Month | Bombay Mean Time h. | m. | Depth on Still ft. | n |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Monday | 20th June | m 5 | 0 | 16 | 1 |
| | | 5 | 51a | 19 | 2 |

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mowrasced | | | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Barley | | | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Castorseed | | | 47 | 0 | 0 |
| Cotton Seeds | | | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Forward | | | Rs | a | p. |
| Wheat May | | | | | |
| Wheat June-July | | | | | |
| Wheat Sept. | | | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| Wheat Oct.-Nov. | | | | | |
| Linseed May | | | | | |
| Linseed Sept. | | | 16 | 0 | 6 |
| Linseed Dec. | | | | | |
| Rapeseed April-May | | | | | |
| Rapeseed June July | | | | | |
| Teaseed Gajar 85-15 Dec. Jan. | | | | | |
| Teaseed Gajar 75-25 Dec. Jan. | | | | | |
| Teaseed Gajar 50-50 Dec. Jan | | | | | |
| Wheat June-July | | | | | |
| Wheat Aug.-Sept | | | | | |
| Wheat Oct. Nov. | | | | | |
| Linseed Sept. | | | | | |
| Linseed Dec. | | | | | |

### COLOUR-MARKET,

Bombay, June 14.

Quotations:—

Alizarine 20 per cent. Rs. 600 per cask.
Congo-Red Rs. 3/8/0 to 4/8/0 per lb.
Magenta Crystals. Rs. 14 per lb.
Magenta Crystals Z. Rs. 17 per lb.
Methyl Violet Rs. 7/8/0 per lb.
Malachite Green Rs. 9 per lb.
Nygrosene Crystals Rs. 3/12/0 per lb.
Hometine Crystals Rs. 1/12/0 per lb.

### CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, June 13.

On coal shares section, Karanpura were in request and business was done upto Rs. 31/4 Jute shares were steady and large number of Howrahs changed hands. In the miscellaneous section, Dunbar cotton did not fluctuate much and Kesorams remained abput Rs. 15/10 buyers. Otherwise there was nothing of special interest to report.

Following were the closing quotations:—

Coal:—Aurrange 11/8, Burakur 47/4, Jainty Central 16/4, Karanpura Developement 31/4.

Jute:—Anglo-India 259, Alliance 388, Auckland 194 S. I., Alexandria 246/8 S. I., Barnagore 108, Clive 159 S. I., Craig 6/4, Dalhousie 327, Fort Gloster 80 S. I., Fort William 262, Gondalpora 770 S. I., Kinison 775 and 755 S. I., Orient 102, Northbrook 52, S. I., Reliance 33/12 S. I., Standard 342 S.I., Union 452/8 S.I. Miscellaneous Assam Saw Mills 8, Anglo Oriental Navigation 22/8, Bengal Led 4, Bengal Nagpur Cotton 350, Bengal Bridge and Bolts 3/14 British India 10/14, Chanparan Sugar 39/8, Dunbar Cotton 414, Ganges Rope 205, x.d., Imperial Bank (country) 276/8, Indian Iron 63, Indian Standard Wagon 63, Kesoran Cotton 15/10, Kumardhubi Engineering 15/4, Spences Hotels 12/4, Reliance firebricks and poultry 18/8 Surma Valley Saw Mills 5, Tinnevelly Textiles 14/10.

Government Paper 3½ per cent. quoted at 56/12. Small lots 57. War Bonds (short loans) 100/4, 1925 100/4 and 1928 100/4 per cent.

Government of India have decided to offer probationerships in the Imperial Forest Service to officers and men who served in naval, military or air forces for not less than one year during the war. Applications will be received upto 20th July 1921.

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# BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

## RAILWAY TIMINGS.

G. I. P. TRAINS TO AND FROM BOMBAY.

The following are the hours of arrivals and departures of the principal mail and express trains at and from Victoria Terminus station daily. Standard Time is given in all cases:—

| | Arr. H. M. | Dep. H. M. |
|---|---|---|
| Punjab Mail | 17 0 | 13 0 |
| Calcutta Mail (via Jubbulpore) | 13 15 | 21 0 |
| Calcutta Mail (via Nagpur) | 8 0 | 18 30 |
| Madras Mail | 8 40 | 21 15 |
| Poona Mail | 11 30 | 14 45 |
| Inter. & 3rd Poona Express | 12 5 | 14 10 |
| Poona Express | 19 40 | 7 55 |
| Delhi & Lucknow Express | 9 0 | 22 0 |

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

The following are the hours of arrivals and departures of the principal mail and express trains at and from Colaba station daily. Standard Time is given in all cases:—

| | Arr. H. M. | Dep. H. M. |
|---|---|---|
| Bombay-Peshawar Mail | 14 0 | 15 0 |
| Gujarat Mail | 11 10 | 20 20 |
| Kathiawar Express | 7 45 | 20 45 |
| Fast Passenger | 21 30 | 7 12 |

## ENGLISH MAILS.

The Mail steamer Kalyan with the outward mails of the 2nd instant is expected to arrive in Bombay at 7 a.m. on Sunday next.

## BAND AT BOMBAY GYMKHANA

The band of the G. I. P. Railway Regt. A. F. (India) will play at the Bombay Gymkhana this evening commencing at 6 15 p.m.

## ARYA SAMITI, DADAR.

A Meeting of the General Body of the "Arya Samiti" will be held on Sunday the 19th instant in its Hall in Puranik's Wadi. Election of the Managing Committee will be its chief function.

## NATIONAL COLLEGE, BOMBAY.

Rao Bahadur C. V. Vaidya will lecture on "Ancient Indian History" from Vedic times to the conquest of India by Mahomedans every Wednesday from 12-15 to 1 in the National College, Bombay.

## CITY'S HEALTH.

The total mortality viz., 814 of the city during the week ending June 11, was 100 less than in the preceding week, the death-rate registered was 43.21. The figures for the 24th week of 1920 were mortality 805 and death-rate 42.73; those for the week during the preceding quinquennium (1916-20) were mortality 724 and the death-rate 38.43.

The number of deaths from Influenza during the week was 15 and that from diseases of the Respiratory System 343 against 25 and 408 respectively in the preceding week. No notification of Influenzal Pneumonia was received during the week. Of the total deaths, 233 were among infants under one year of age. 24 deaths occurred among recent arrivals from the mofussil who at the time of their death had resided for less than 10 days in the City.

Cholera was absent during the week.

Small-pox caused 11 attacks and 10 deaths.

Plague declined to 13 attacks and 9 deaths.

The number of live births registered during the week was 310 against 280 in the 24th week of 1920 and 333 the quinquennial average for the corresponding week in the five years (1916-20.)

## MILL STORES MARKET.

(From our own Correspondent.)

June 14.

The tone is bright in several important commodities. Home-consignments are arriving in Healds and Reeds, however, the rate of exchange does not permit the importer to offer at easy price in the market. Immediately on several old stocks being cleared, the market may be expected to rule firm in some of the commodities such as Healds, Reeds, Roller Cloth.

Bandings have continued with a poor tone, probably owing to the heavy influx in the market. There are several weak-holders who are offering their holdings at Rs. 1-10-0 per lb. (Oldham). If the indents that have been booked are immediately executed, the market may be anticipated to go down still.

Shuttles and Bobbins have gathered no strength practically, save some partial inquiry here and there. Conicals and Universels witnessed a very slight demand The Japanese have been little in demand owing to their inferior quality.

The quotations are as under:—

Healds Rs. 3-6-0.
Reeds Rs. 0-5-0.
Roller Cloth-K Rs. 12-0-0.
Roller Skins Rs. 85/12/0.
Picking Bands Rs. 3-0-0.
Picking Bands-Brooks Rs. 2-12-0.
Pickers Broom Rs. 115-0-0.
Slubbing Jap. Rs. 45-0-0.
Rowings Jap. Rs. 36-0-0.
Conicals Jan 5" Rs. 10-0-0.
Fillets (Dof and Cyl) Rs. 1-12-0.

## CALCUTTA COAL MARKET.

CALCUTTA, June 11.

There has been very little activity during the week. Home owners are standing out for some guarantee as regards the length of time a steamer can be kept waiting for a berth, which some shippers refuse to concede. It would appear however that some compromise will have to be reached, as home owners evidently intend to avoid Calcutta rather than allow their steamers to lie idle for a month or more before they even commence loading.

There is a little more tonnage showing for July loading, but shippers show no anxiety to fix until they know their position as regards export licenses which have apparently not yet been issued. Nominal rates are—

Karachi Rs. 16/8.
Bombay 15/8 to 16.
Colombo 10/8 to 11.
Madras 9/8.
Rangoon 9.

No fixtures have been reported.

## CALCUTTA FREIGHT MARKET.

CALCUTTA, June 11.

Since the short spurt or bookings at the beginning of the week the market has been very quiet and lifeless, with no bookings of importance to report. The total booking at the beginning of the week to U. K. Continent ports was round about 6000 tons Jute/Linseed basis, but with full options.

From Tuesday the Liners Conference rate for the Continent (Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg) reverted to 38s. June/Linseed basis.

Rates are Calcutta to London, Liverpool, Dundee (Less 10 per cent. not exceeding 5s. per ton).

Jute per 50 C. ft. 45s.
Cotton per 50 C. ft. 45s.
Linseed per 20 cwt. 45s.
Gunnies per 50 C. ft. 50s.
Hides per 50 C. ft. 50s.
Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg.
Jute per 50 C. ft. 35s.
Hides per 50 C. ft. 35s.
Linseed per 20 cwt. 35s.
Gunnies per 50 C. ft. 40.
Boston, New York.
Philadelphia (5s. extra up to 500 T.)
Jute, Gunnies per 40 C. ft. 40s.
Shellac per 40 C. ft. 40s.

# HIGH COURT.

## APPELLATE SIDE.

### CULPABLE HOMICIDE NOT AMOUNTING TO MURDER.

### RIGHT OF SELF-DEFENCE.

### ACCUSED ACQUITTED.

Guringappa Shidramappa and another.

vs.

The King-Emperor.

(Before Justices Pratt and Fawcett.)

This was an appeal against the decision of Mr. R. E. A. Elliott, Sessions Judge of Bijapur. He found the accused guilty of culpable homicide not amounting to murder by killing one Ganya Lamni during the course of a riot at Shidnath and sentenced him to two years rigorous imprisonment under Section 304 of the Indian Penal Code. Their Lordships however, judged otherwise and set the sentence aside.

The facts material to the case have been fully given in the following judgment of their Lordships:—

"The facts of the case are not disputed. There were two factions in the village of Sidhanath. On the one hand the faction of Ganigers and on the other the faction of Gandas. About the time of this offence incidents occured which exceerbated the ill-feeling between the two factions. On the 15th October there was a dispute about a field which Jumana Ganda had bought and he was obstructed by the opposite faction from ploughing and on the 21st October 1919 there was a dispute about a right of way in which Jumana Ganda was assaulted by the members of the opposite faction including the two accused. Jumona Ganda in order to take a revenge got together an armed gang which went about the village looking for the accused shouting "Din Din" and announcing their intention to kill him. In the course of their search they looted the houses of several Ganigers and burnt the contents. The accused took refuge in the house of one Shannaji Marwadi and hid themselves in a dark kitchen at the back of the house. The mob broke into that house, two of these rioters Ganya Lamani and Shankarappa made their way with torches to the kitchen and attacked the accused. Ganya hit accused No. 1 with an axe and wounded him on the back and accused Nos. 1 and 2 engaged Ganya and Shankarappa and after a fight in pitch darkness Shankaryappa escaped outside. After Shankeryappa escaped and Nos. 1 and 2 hacked Ganya to death. It is conceded that the right of private defence which the accused were exercising extended under sec. 100 Indian Penal Code to causing the death of their assailant. In fact it was the only prudent thing for accused Nos. 1 and 2 to do. For they could not allow an enemy to remain in the room in which they were while they were anticipating a frontal attack from the murderous mob that had broken into the house. This is conceded by the Sessions Judge in his judgment.

After quoting a statement by the Session Judge their lordships proceed:—"We agree that this statement of the law is most apposite to the facts of the present case. We accordingly allow the appeal, reverse the conviction and sentence of the appellant Gurlingappa and direct that he be acquitted and set at liberty. We also direct rule to issue for revision of the conviction and sentence of the other accused Yellappa Gadgeppa who has not appealed."

Mr. G. R. Madbhavi appeared for the accused.

The Government Pleader represented the Crown.

# ORIGINAL SIDE.

### A 'FRADULENT CLAIM."

### SUIT DISMISSED WITH COSTS.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Kajiji.)

Kustomji Ardeshir Wadia and other.

vs.

The Scottish Alliance Insurance Co. Ltd.

This suit was filed by the plaintiffs to recover from the defendants a sum of Rs. 75,000 for loss by fire of certain goods covered by several protection notes issued by the defendant company. The 1st plaintiff was the owner of a ginning factory at Kabirpore near Navsari, and the second plaintiff Govindji Patel was a cotton merchant. The plaintiffs' case was that the 1st plaintiff had entered into an agreement with the 2nd plaintiff for the exclusive ginning of the latter's cotton, to advance him 80 per cent. of the value of the cotton tendered for ginning and effect insurance against fire of the said cotton. In February and March 1919, there in at the 1st plaintiff's factory 228 half pressed bales of cotton belonging to the 2nd plaintiff and mortgaged to the 1st plaintiff for advances made. The plaintiffs alleged that on the night of the 9th of March 1919 a fire occurred on the factory in consequence of which 174 bales out of the lot of 228 were burnt and about 54 saved. The cotton had been insured with the defendant company, and the plaintiffs made a claim against the insurance company for the alleged loss by fire. The defendants' case substantially, apart from technical contentions, was that on the date of the alleged fire there were only about 50 bales of the plaintiffs on the premises, and that there was nothing like the number of bales that the plaintiffs alleged there was. They alleged that the plaintiffs had wilfully set fire to some loose cotton taken from a few bales, and had spread out the ashes to give the appearance of a large fire. The quantity of ashes found in the place was small, and underneath the ashes the investigations of their surveyor discovered dry unburnt blades of grass. In any event the defendants submitted that the amount of loss occasioned by the fire was not more than Rs. 10,000. They submitted that the plaintiffs' claim was fraudulent, and should be dismissed with costs.

Mr. D. N. Bahadurji with Mr. B. J. Desai appeared for the plaintiffs.

Sir Thomas Strangman, Mr V. F. Taraporewalla and Mr. D. F. Mulla appeared for the defendants.

After the plaintiff had given his evidence, and had been cross-examined first by Sir Thomas Strangman and latterly by Mr. Taraporewalla, his counsel informed the Court that he had on a consideration of the evidence advised his clients not to proceed with the case. The suit was therefore dismissed with costs.

Counsel on behalf of the defendants applied to the Court for sanction to prosecute the plaintiffs and their mehta on charges of forgery and giving and fabricating false evidence and abetting one another therein. His Lordship directed the defendants to make the application in due course in the usual form.

Attorneys for the plaintiffs:—Messrs. Ardesir, Hormusji, Dinshaw and Co.

Attorneys for the defendants:—Messrs. Bhaishankar, Kanga and Girdherlal.

# THE WEATHER.

## NORMAL MONSOON IN ARABIAN SEA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, June 13.

Both branches of monsoon have been active and the bay current is extending up the Gangetic Plain. A western disturbance is affecting in Kashmir. Information from Madras is incomplete. Rainfall has been nearly general in Burma, Central Provinces, Konkan, Malabar and local in Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, east of United Provinces, Gujarat, Hyderabad and Mysore. A few falls also occurred in Kashmir and Bombay Deccan.

The chief amounts are:—Port Blair three inches, Tavoy, Minu one, Moulmein, Rangoon one and a half, Bhamo two, Myitkyina four, Dhubri two, Shillong one and a half, Mymensingh one, Dinajpur, Cuttack three, Daltonganj, Purnea a half, Gorakhpur one, Lucknow a half, Indore three quarters, Amraoti one and a half, Khandwa, Pachmarhi two, Bombay, Ratnagiri three, Marmagoa, Mangalore two, Hanamkonda three.

Forecast:—Extension in United Provinces and into Punjab hills.

The Mail steamer reports a normal monsoon in the Arabian Sea.

## GOOD RAIN IN LUCKNOW.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LUCKNOW, June 13.

After boisterous south easterly winds, good rain fell in Lucknow last night, temporarily relieving a period of heat said to have been most intense for a generation.

## MAN COMMITTING 32 BURGLARIES.

### GETS 2 MONTHS FOR EACH.

Joseph William, a young Christian clerk, who had committed thirty-five burglaries and thefts in respect of properties valued at Rs. 7,800, collectively, was placed at the Esplanade Police Court, before Rao Bahadur Chunilal Setalvad, acting Chief Presidency Magistrate by Inspector Guilder. The accused was arrested on suspicion at Wodehouse Road, on the 17th ultimo by a Police Constable, Sakharam Sadoo, who subsequently discovered that he had committed thirty-five burglaries and thefts between October and May last. He also succeeded in recovering property worth Rs. 5,500, some in the accused's possession and some in the possession of several others to whom the accused had either sold or with whom he had pledged portions of his booty.

The evidence showed that the accused had been formerly a clerk in the office of Messrs. Pauling and Company, and after that he was a clerk in the Docks for some time. On the 26th of April last, the accused broke into the quarters of Mr. A. C. Philips, at Apollo Bunder and stole a stick, a silver dish-handle and currency notes, collectively valued at Rs. 60. On the 2nd December last, he played his game at the residence of Mr. J. P. Moulton, putting up at Armsby House, Apollo Bunder and stole from there a gold watch and chain, and a cigarette case, collectively valued at Rs. 770. From the same place he subsequently stole a camera and a pair of trousers valued at Rs. 70. From Mr. Bellamy's flat in Clive House, Colaba, he stole on the 20th November a dress-coat, a silver watch, all valued at Rs. 275. The remaining cases also go to show that the accused confined his raids to Fort and Colaba only.

The accused pleaded guilty to the charges and played for mercy and his Worship on the evidence convicted and sentenced him two months' hard labour on each of the charges—the sentences to run consecutively The remaining three cases against him wer postponed to the 14th instant.

The Magistrate, whilst passing the sentence, praised the constable for the good work he had done by arresting the notorious burgla and thief. He said he would write the Commissioner of Police about him.

## CRIMINAL INTEMIDATION.

At the Girgaum Police Court, before Mr P. L. Thakkar, Additional Presidency Magistrate, Motiram Ramji, Hari Baloo, Ganpat Baloo, Rama Yesoo and Ahmed Hussein, five press workers, working in the Commercial Press, owned by the Tata Publicity Corporation, were charged with being members of an unlawful assembly and with criminal intimidation at the instance of Sitaram Ramji, book-binder.

Mr. Khurshed F. Nariman, pleader, appeared for the complainant and Mr. Husseinbhai, Bar-at-Law, defended the accused.

The evidence showed that on the 17th ultimo about 300 employees of the Commercial Press struck work and on the 24th idem they collected in front of the complainant's shop at Homji Street and demanded that he should also stop work and send back the papers which he had received from the Commercial Press for binding, ruling, etc. The complainant first reasoned with the men, but the latter did not agree to it. They insisted upon his stopping work and returning the papers or else they would hurt him. He at last yielded.

All the accused pleaded not guilty but were, however, convicted on the evidence. The first accused was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 50 or in default one month's simple imprisonment, and the rest were ordered to be bound over in the sum of Rs. 100 each to keep the peace for one year.

## KILLED BY A LIVE WIRE.

At the Coroner's Court Mr. A. R. King, opened an inquest yesterday regarding the death of a Hindu, Mulla, by name, working in a Milkshop. The evidence showed that on Sunday at about 9 p.m. the deceased while going out of his shop at Memonwada, caught a wooden frame of the door from which an electric wire had been brought into the shop. His hand touched the live-wire and consequently he began to tremble. Another man in the shop tried to pick him up, but he too received a shock. A neighbouring shopkeeper then came up and switched off the current. Mulla was then lifted up but was found to be dead. Further enquiry has been postponed.

## 28 DACOITS COMMITTED TO SESSIONS.

Mr. B. N. Athavle, the acting Fourth Presidency Magistrate, before whom Kale Gaddu, Ballad Bhiman and a band of thirty-two others, were charged with committing a series of dacoities in the suburbs of Bombay, has after recording further evidence, committed 28 of them to the next Criminal sessions for trial. Three of the band were granted pardon owing to their having turned out approvers and the case against the remaining two are still pending.

## PUBLIC MEETING AT MANDVI.

A public meeting will be held under the auspices of Mandvi District Congress Committee to-day at 8-30 p.m. (B.T.) at Shri Cutchi Dasa Oswal Mahajanwadi, Khadak, Mandvi, Bombay. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Maulana Shaukat Ali, Maulana Mahomed Ali, Dr. Saifuddin Kitchlew, Shrimati Sarojini Naidu, Mr. N. C. Kelkar, Dr. Munje of Nagpur and others will speak on "The Present Situation."

# TILAK SWARAJYA FUND.

## RANGOON COLLECTS RS. 4,2750

The Hony. Secretary Burma Provincial Congress Committee writes.—

The Burma Provincial Congress Committee has collected Rs. 42,750 uptodate from Rangoon and district for the Tilak Swarajya Memorial Fund. This includes Rs. 7,500 collected from Moulmein. The collection still continues.

# UNIVERSITY SENATE MEETING

## AFFILIATION OF INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

The adjourned meeting of the Senate of the Bombay University was held yesterday under the presidency of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir C. H. Setalvad, when further discussion on Dr. A. Viegas' amendment to the proposal moved by Dr. N. A. F. Moos regarding the affiliation of the Royal Institute of Science was resumed.

Dr. Viegas' amendment was to the effect that the question be referred back to the Syndicate.

Before the discussion commenced the Director of Public Instruction said that he was authorised by the Minister of Education to state that the Government were desirous of converting the Institute into a post-graduate college as early as possible and that the Intermediate class would be discontinued if it hindered the work of research.

Dr. Masina supporting the amendment said there was nothing to be lost by sending back the proposal to the Syndicate. In his opinion, remain as it is, the Elphinstone College should and the Institute of Science should be reserved for research studies. He was doubtful as to when the assurance of the Director of Public Instruction would be carried into action.

Shams-ul-Ulama Dr. J. J. Modi appreciated the aim of Dr. Viegas which was as he understood, to see that the College of Science was made the first college of its type.

Prof. Kolatkar also supported the amendment and said that as a teacher of Science he was convinced that even now there was a need for an Institute for post-graduate studies in Science. Many of the Science graduates who have come out successful this year are anxious for research studies.

DR. VIEGAS' AMENDMENT CARRIED.

After some further discussion the amendment was put to vote and declared lost, when Dr. Viegas demanded a division. It was done and the result was that the amendment was carried by 71 votes to 18.

Mr. J. R. Gharpure then moved the following resolution which Mr. K. Natrajan had given notice to move:—

"That, as recommended by the Syndicate, the following proviso be added at the end of paragraph 1, regulation 34 in Arts (page 73 of the Calendar for 1920-21):—

"provided that no candidate who has kept one or more terms at a College recognized only for the B.A. (Pass) Examination will be admitted to the B.A. (Honours) Examination'."

The proposal, after being duly seconded, was carried.

STUDY OF AVESTA AND PAHLAVI.

Shams-ul-Ulama Dr. J. J. Modi then moved as recommended by the Syndicate:—

"(a) That the words "Avesta and Pahlavi" be added after the word "Sanskrit" in regulation 40 and also in paragraphs 2 and 3 of regulation 45 (pages 74 and 75. respectively, of the Calendar for 1920-21);

(b) that the words "and Avesta and Pahlavi" be added after the word "Sanskrit" in paragraph 2 under the heading "Three additional papers for Honours" (page 76 of the Calendar); and

(c) that the regulations amended as above be brought into operation at the B.A. Degree Examination to be held in 1924 and subsequent years."

Dr. Masina seconded.

This proposition was also agreed to by the Senate.

## UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY.

An adjourned Meeting of the Senate will be held in the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall of the University on Tuesday, the 5th July 1921, at 5-45 p.m., when consideration will be resumed of the following motion moved by Dr. A. G. Viegas and seconded by Mr. D. G. Dalvi at the last Meeting:—

"That the Report of the Committee appointed to consider the recommendations of the Calcutta University Commission be approved and adopted and that Government be requested to take necessary action on the lines of the Report."

The following extracts from the proceedings of the last Meeting are republished for the information of members:—

"In view of the importance of the issues raised in the Report and the impossibility of finishing the discussion that evening the Vice-Chancellor asked the Senate to make up its mind on two points, viz., (1) whether they wished to proceed with the discussion that evening and proceed with it day after day or they wished to do so at some later date, and (2) whether the Senate should resolve itself into a Committee to consider the matter.

It became apparent during the discussion that the Senate was generally in favour of resolving itself into a Committee and to proceed with the discussion on some date in July and go on from day to day till it was finished.

It was proposed by Mr. Mirza Ali Mohammed Khan and seconded by Professor K. R. Kanitkar—

That the debate on this item be adjourned to Tuesday, the 5th July 1921. Mr. Mirza's motion, on being put to the vote, was

Carried.

The Vice-Chancellor requested the members to make arrangements to proceed with the matter day after day in July."

# FIGHTING TEMPERANCE.

## THE LATEST WEAPON.

## SEDITION IN CONGRESS!

### NOTICE TO A LIQUOR CONTRACTOR.

Secretary Congress Committee Bijapur, wires under date June 14.—

Mr. Hiremath, District Deputy Collector Bijapur, has served on Mr. Krishnaji Mujumdas, country liquor contractor of Guledgudd, the following notice:—

I understand that you have become member of the Guledgudd Congress Committee This amounts to sedition. Attend my court and explain.

Mr. Mujumdar has replied, saying that it is true that he has joined the Congress Committee but thereby he has committed n sedition. He would put in his statemen if the Magistrate would say under what law sedition is committed.

Mr. Mujumdar is an enthusiastic worker and has resolved not to bid at the next auction sale in July.

## "THE SOCIAL CANKER."

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I have just read your comment upon the Report of the Social Purity Committee of Bombay on "Prostitution and its Alarming Growth of Evil".

It is certainly the primary duty of every decent citizen to free himself from the tantacles of this dreadful octopus which has destroyed the lives of many a delightful youth. The responsibility for the Canker of social life does not entirely rest upon the women alone, who are forced by circumstances to take to open prostitution; but a far and wider responsibility rests with men who are, in fact, the sole cause for this alarming state of affairs existing in almost all cities.

It is the duty of the parents to see that their son is married to a healthy girl rather than allow him to visit these "caged human creatures". And it is equally the duty of the parents to get their girls married at their respective ages. You can write voluminous literature explaining the evils of prostitution; venereal disease; etc., but pou can never eradicate the evil until and unless you openly tell these young women and men about the dangers that wait ahead by outraging the laws of nature. Whose duty then it is? It is primarily the duty of the parents of children, and not of the State. The State, of course, can by some artificial laws penalise the offenders; they cannot change the moral outlook of a community.

It is my firm opinion that if a real change of moral outlook is to come, it can only be by young men and women getting married. There are certain pernicious social laws which exist among certain communities; it is the duty of these communities if they want to avoid open prostitution and evil inclinations of their members, to remove all the obstacles for decent marriages among men and women. It is not by any artificial legislation that you will see the end of the Augean stables but by infusing new ideas and facilities for desiring youths for a healthy marriage.—Yours, etc.

P. S. GOPAL KRISHNA.

## MR. ABDUL KALAM AZAD,

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Will you please publish the following lines in the columns of your widely circulated paper.

According to information Moulana Abdul Kalam Azad has come to Bombay for a short period. The Muslim public of Bombay is very eager to hear him. I, therefore, appeal to the Central Kilafat Committee of Bombay to arrange for his lecture at least once, and give the benefit of his presence to the public.—Yours, etc.

M. VELLORI,

## FIRE AT FORD AUTOMOBILES.

### FURTHER DETAILS.

In connection with the fire that broke out in the building of Messrs. Automobile Company, at Hughes Road on Saturday last, Superintendent Stenson submitted an official report yesterday, in the course of which he stated that one of the workmen saw smoke coming out from a window at about 1 p.m. The workman informed Mr. Pepper, the Stores Manager and at that time Mr. Chamarette, the Sales Manager, came up and immediately reported the matter to the Fire Brigade. Mr. Pepper went to the stores in which tyres, wooden frames and other accessories were kept, with a fire extinguisher to try and put out the fire but he had to retire owing to being nearly overcome by smoke. The managing director of the firm had just got into his car to go home when he heard the alarm. He at once ordered the removal of all the cars that could be got at and also other stores to a place of safety. The whole of the Fire Brigade were quickly on the scene and played on the flames. The fire was extinguished at about 2-30 p.m. The firm is insured for Rs. 13 lakhs with the British Fire Insurance Company and the damage to the building and stock is estimated at about Rs. 10 lakhs. Were it not for the emergy of the staff of the Company, the damage would have been much greater, as they succeeded in removing all the cars from the showrooms.

## A S CRETARY SENTENCED

Cnaturbhuj Shivaji, the Hon. Secretary of the Shroffs' Association was yesterday charged by Deputy Inspector Lyon at the Esplanade Police Court, before Rao Bahadur Chunilal Setalvad, with criminal breach of trust as a servant in respect of Rs. 4,060-7-11 which he had collected from different members of the Association between November and May last and then misappropriated.

The accused pleaded guilty and was convicted. The Magistrate taking into consideration that the accused has made good the amount sentenced him to a day's simple imprisonment and to pay a fine of Rs. 500.

# SPORTING NEWS.

## AN AUSTRALIAN DECISION.

### NOT TO PLAY ON DAY PRECEDING TEST MATCHES.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, June 9.

Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

Much dissatisfaction is expressed at the Australians' decision not to play on the day preceding the Test Matches. The Australians have written to the Yorkshire County Club asking them to eliminate the third days' play on July 22nd in view of the Fourth Test Match at Manchester on the 23rd of July.

The committee of the Sheffield United Football and Cricket Club whose ground at Bramall Lane is the venue of the match with Yorkshire has decided to intimate to the Yorkshire Club that if the tourists insist in their attitude the United Club will request the County Club authorities to declare that the match is off or to arrange that it is played elsewhere.

## AUSTRALIA V. GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, June 9.

The weather was bright and warm and seven thousand people were present when the match between the Australians and Gloucestershire was resumed to-day. The Australians brought their overnight score to 533 for 8 wickets and declared. Gregory contributed 78 by delightful cricket. He hit three sixes and seven fours. Gloucester had made 166 for 6. When stumps were drawn. D. Robinson scored 61.

Surrey beat Northamptonshire by an innings and 341 runs.

## ENGLISH RACING.

### KING' IDLER WINS NEWSBURY CUP.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, June 9.

Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

The Newbury cup result is as follows:—

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|---|---|
| King's Idler | 1 |
| Air Balloon | 2. |
| Devizes | 3. |

Betting 7 to 2 against King's Idler. 15 to 1 Air Ball-oon. 2 to 1 Devizes. Eleven ran, won by neck, length and half separating second from third.

## TENNIS RESULTS.

(Reuter's Telegram)

LONDON, June 8.

Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

Yesterday's surprise in the Third Round at Bechenham was furnished by Shimidzu being beaten by the American, Hunter, 6/2, 6/2.

In the Second Round of the Men's Doubles Shimidzu and Hunter beat the Fyzee brothers 6/3, 9/7. In the First Round of the Mixed Doubles Shimidzu and Miss Hawkins won the match.

## KENT TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, June 9.

In the third round of the Kent Tennis Championships at Beckenham de Saram (Ceylon) was beaten by Roper Barrett 8/6 6/0, Sleem was beaten by Nigel Jones 6/3, 2/6, 6/4. A. H. Fyzee, Kingscote and Jacob won their matches. In the first round of the men's doubles Austin and de Saram were beaten by Dayan and Davson 6/4, 7/5.

In the second round Deane and Jacob and Kingscote and Hillyard won their matches. In the first round of the mixed doubles Murray and Mrs. Peacock were beaten by the South African Norton and Miss Ryan 6/2, 6/3. In the second round Mr. and Mrs. Gracey were beaten but Hartwell and Miss McKane won. In the second round of the ladies doubles Mrs. Gracey and Miss Hogarth won.

# MAHATMA GANDHI AT GHATKOPAR.

## MEETING OF CONGRESS LEADERS.

The Mahatma arrived by mail yesterday and has finally confirmed the time for Ghatkopar visit this morning at 8 a.m. (S. T.)

Maulanas Mahomed Ali, Shaukat Ali, Hakim Ajmalkhan, Shrimati Sarojini Naidu, Syt. Vithalbhai, Syt. Kelkar, Syt. Baptista, Dr. Munje, Dr. Ansari, Syt. Vijay Raghavachariar and other leaders have also accepted the invitation.

The occasion is an unique one and it is expected to draw a very large crowd to the meeting.

The Tilak Swaraj Fund contributions have amounted to Rs. 25,000.

Three extra trains have been arranged to run from Ghatkopar to Bombay at 10-45, 11-55, and 12-20 respectively for the visitors to reach Bombay.

All are cordially invited to attend this important meeting.

## HIND MAHILA SAMAJ.

A meeting of this Samaj was held on the 8th instant at which Mrs. Avantikabai Gokhale gave a graphic description of the historic hill-fort of Pratapgad which she recently visited from Mahableshwar. In the end she announced her desire to present to the Tilak Swarajya Fund by the 30th instant for Swaraj a sum of Rs. 1,000 of which she had collected Rs. 600 from the ladies present at a Kirtan performed by her at Mahableshwar. She appealed to the members to contribute the balance of Rs 400 before the end of the month. Mrs. Gokhale then drew their attention to the anti-Diamond Campaign just launched by their Kanara Saraswat sisters a few of whom, members of the Samaj, were present She was glad that they, women of the Maharashtra, were free from the undesirable custom of wearing diamonds, yet it was their duty to lend their whole-hearted support to this great movement. The anti-Diamond Leaflets were then distributed.

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## MAHATMA GANDHI KI JAI!

There are certain questions which we should like to put at this moment to every Indian who desires the liberation of his country, but has not joined the Congress nor contributed according to his means to the Tilak Swarajya Fund: (1) Do you wish the India of the future to be worthy of the India of the past; or is it possible that you can be content, even in imagination, with an India which shall be a mere political contrivance of the English, owing "everything"—though that does not mean "much"—to England, without the vigour of an independent, natural growth, and therefore colourless, without enthusiasm? (2) Are you content with the position of your race at present whether in India or in the Empire; and can you possibly accept the current dictum of the English that your race is fit for no better position until it has been educated—i.e., further Anglicised—and has been subjected to an indefinite period of supervision? (3) Do you wish your country to be involved within the next few months in a terrific war, for which there is no ground whatever except the fanatical anti-Asiatic policy of the Government of England, of which the Government of India is at present nothing but a slave? We have no doubt but that everyone of those we have in mind will answer that his wish is that his country should revive in truth, with something of its ancient spirit and its ancient splendour; that he thinks that Indians have a present right to claim Swarajya, and desires his country to escape the horrors of a war of which the end might be the triumph of Bolshevism all over Asia.

Then why, we would ask, does he hold aloof from those who are working for all which he desires, and so give the weight of his tacit support to those who are opposed to all which he desires? He that is not with us is against us; and the most unfortunate and at the same time mischievous people in the world are those who lack the courage of their own convictions, for they frustrate their own desires and at the same time are a dead weight on the progress of humanity. Some people are withheld by a sentimental attachment to the British connection from throwing in their lot with a party which has declared its will for Indian independence within *or without* the Empire. We are sure that they are absolutely in the wrong. If they want to preserve the British connection in some form or other—in its present form it is already dead as far as the sentiments of India as a nation are concerned—they should pray for the success of Mahatma Gandhi, and assist him to the utmost of their means in the campaign he is at present waging on behalf of Indian liberty, the campaign which closes with this month of June. Some people—enemies of Indian liberty—are saying already that Gandhi has failed. Gandhi cannot fail. He is the living soul of India—the India of the thoughtful past and of the glorious future. He has succeeded in quickening the dead mass of the people and inspiring them to effort with a high ideal. The poor have given, and given again; they are still giving. Gandhi and the poor are a success which those who merely sit at home and read your newspaper and meditate in comfort on these things can never realise. It is you, the well-to-do, the rich, the so-called "educated", who take so long in making up your mind, who are the drag on Indian national progress at this moment. It is you who have failed India at the pinch. Yet we will not say "failed" until the last hour of the last day is up. There is still time for the lazy and the halting ones to show their patriotism and earn the gratitude of India for all time to come. Never had the country such an opportunity; for never had it such a leader as it has today—a leader so exactly suited to the people's temperament, a physician able to prescribe for all their ills, a man absolutely above suspicion of a selfish motive, a saint who lives for others and asks nothing for himself. Now is the time when every Indian in the Bombay Presidency should make a sacrifice of money for his country's sake; it is demanded of him by Mahatma Gandhi, —the great man of Gujerat, in the name of the late Lokmaniya Tilak, the great man of Maharashtra, names which are the patriotic glory of this Presidency—to save India!

In this very month of June in which the last intense appeal to Indian patriotism is being made, we have seen the utter—we should call it criminal—indifference of the Government of England for the public opinion of India, and the welfare of all Asiatic peoples, again displayed after all the talk of change of heart and change of policy! They are talking once again of supporting the dishonoured bloodstained Greeks against the Turkish patriots, and once again of Arab "nationalism" under British guidance, in order to delude the East, which will not for a moment be deluded for "in vain is the trap set in the sight of any bird." The utter frivolity with which they treat all Asiatic problems must now be manifest to every Indian proud or even conscious of his nationality. If they pursue the course which they seem bent upon pursuing, there will be another world-war which quite possibly may end in what we at least should regard as an immense catastrophe at the present stage of human history —i.e., the military triumph of Bolshevism over all Asia. The only way to avert the danger,—as it seems to us—is for the British Government fundamentally to change its attitude and policy towards Asia. But the British Government will not—possibly, cannot—do that till forced to do it; and there is no one who can force them peacefully to do it except the Government of India. But the Government of India, as it is at present the humble servant to command of a British Prime Minister—whose ignorance of Eastern matters and prejudice against non-Christian peoples have become proverbial—is useless for the purpose, quite unable to perform its natural wholesome function in the British polity of nations. What is needed is an Indian Government which will stand for the opinion of Indians as the Government of Australia stands for the opinion of Australians, in the Empire. The Government of India must be freed from all direct dependence on the Government of England, enabled to fight freely for the cause of India and of Asia as it ought to do. And this change must be made at once if war and ruin are to be avoided. The "Moderate" adherents of the present Government of India have no vision of all this. They are concerned with little details of administration. They are so grateful for the leave to occupy a high position and amuse themselves by tinkering with small reforms, that they will acquiesce in anything the Government of England may decree; even in a needless, senseless war in Asia of which a possible foreseeable result is the invasion and the looting of this country by the Bolsheviks! They know nothing of world-politics and are unconcerned with them. They cannot, therefore, be regarded as the representatives of India, as she ought to be and really is, a great Asiatic nation thoughtful for her neighbour's welfare. The representative of India as a nation is Mahatma Gandhi, the man who sees the danger and would guard against it. The danger is immediate. Gandhi can avert it, if only Indians will provide him with the means. There are individual Indians in Bombay who could contribute the whole sum required, and yet retain enough to live in comfort all their days. Most of them adhere to the Government, no doubt, tightly or loosely. Well, it will serve them right, if, as the result of Government's mistaken policy which we are trying to have changed, they find themselves one morning in the clutches of the Bolsheviks. But those rich men who are not tied to Government can save the country, if they will, and their own souls. All that we ask of them is that they will go and listen to Mahatma Gandhi.

## WITHDRAW THE LIBEL.

While Reuter's local Agency assures us that the London cable of May 31st containing a reference to the Premier's speech on the Empire Credits Scheme, was issued in India just as it was received, the Government of India, after enquiry, tell us that the remarks attributed to Mr. Lloyd George were in reality made by Sir Philip Lloyd Graeme, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade (and not "Secretary of the Department of Overseas Trade", as the Simla communique describes him). This is satisfactory, so far as the Premier is concerned. But it is impossible to minimise the significance of the fact that a member of His Majesty's Government such as Sir Philip Lloyd Graeme had thought it fit to indulge in an insulting reference to the commercial morality of India, when he ought to have known that that had nothing to do with the extension of the benefits of the scheme to India. We are glad to see that the Government of India have dissociated themselves from the remarks made by Sir Philip. But that is not enough. The Government of India ought to demand a withdrawal of the gross libel on the people of India implied in the speech of this member of His Majesty's Government.

But apart from this aspect of the question, the mystery of the circumstances leading to the exclusion of India from the Scheme still remains as unsolved as before, notwithstanding the reiteration by the Government of India of their previous statement that the suggestion originated from themselves and themselves alone. It is impossible to reconcile this statement with the statement of Sir Philip Lloyd Graeme in Parliament, that the exclusion of India had been necessitated by "conditions under which outstanding obligations had not been fully honoured." The Government of India, on the other hand, are anxious to assure us that they sought the exclusion of this country because "the scheme would be of no benefit to India's trade". Now, we want to know which way lies the truth? Certainly both the Government of India and Sir Philip Graeme cannot be correct in their statements of the reasons which have led to the exclusion of India! It is impossible to believe that the Secretary of the Board of Trade when he made the statement was not aware of the proposal of the Government of India, if such a proposal was made before His Majesty's Government came to a decision on the point. If Sir Philip was aware of the proposal, why did he not mention the fact and why did he go out of his way to cast reflections on the commercial morality of the people of India? The mystery cannot be allowed to remain as it is. The communique of the Government of India only deepens the mystery. We quoted on Monday a resolution adopted early in May by the India section of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce and communicated immediately to the Department of Overseas Trade, in which these British merchants urged that India should be excluded from the scheme because her inclusion "will prove mischievous and harmful to the interests of (British) traders." This resolution coupled with Sir Philip Lloyd's statement cannot but raise the strongest suspicion in the mind of the public of this country that it is the jealousy of the British merchants rather than the so-called voluntary suggestion of the India's financial advisers that has prevented India from sharing in the benefits of the Scheme, in which even mandated territories are to participate. Whatever the Government of India may say to the contrary, it looks like a deliberate conspiracy between British financial and commercial interests and the Board of Trade to damage the vital interests of India. And this at a time when India is being invited to an Imperial Conference and to shoulder additional burdens for the Empire's sake.

## Notes of the Day

### The "New Era" in Ireland

The opening of the Ulster Parliament—under the protecting wing of the police and the military!—is, we are told, hailed as the beginning of a new era in Ireland. To give the occasion added lustre, His Majesty himself will be invited to go over to Ulster and bless the newest Parliament. But while all these pre-arranged rejoicings and congratulations are taking place in the north, the shadow over the rest of Ireland shows no signs of decreasing. On the other hand, the daily toll of death and arson on both sides is steadily rising. In these circumstances, one finds it rather difficult to recognise the "New Era" which is stated to have dawned on the unhappy island. Though they may not publicly admit it, British politicians of all shades of opinion know for a fact that it is southern Ireland that truly counts and that so long as that portion lies immersed in darkness, the light beating on any other part of the island may as well have wasted itself on the plains of Sahara. How long will the rump of the Ulster Parliament run its puppet-show in the absence of real parliamentary government in the south? The Ulster Parliament can no more claim to be representative of the northern counties than the Legislative Councils of this country under a similar "new regime" can do. Even the sympathisers of the Orangemen know this full well and are forced to admit that the partition is "a distasteful temporary expedient." Let them give up the dishonest plea that Ulstermen cannot remain in safety under joint Irish rule and then will there be any real chance for a New Era to dawn on Ireland. Till then, it is but adding insult to injury to indulge in the cant about a new order of things in the unhappy island.

### Mr. Churchill on Egypt.

Mr. Churchill's gratuitous digression on Egyptian politics, while the only topic of discussion at the Manchester meeting was cotton growing in the Empire, is sure to be resented in Egyptian circles. Mr. Churchill seems, however, to have deliberately indulged in the provocation, with a view to disabuse the minds of Egyptian people of any extravagant hopes they might be cherishing as to an early slackening of British military control over Egypt. At the same time the Colonial Secretary must have sought to give an assurance to the British capitalists engaged in the exploitation of Egypt that they need not fear that their vested interests would be allowed to suffer in any way under the new regime there. But Mr. Churchill does not seem to realise that as Colonial Secretary he has duties to perform not only towards his own countrymen but also towards the people, whose destinies, for the time being, are placed in his hands. In the scheme of latter-day Imperialism, perhaps, the obligations to "subject" peoples do not exist and if any exist at all they have to subserve the more "paramount" obligations to the members of the "Imperial" race. Subject peoples, however, are coming to recognise that such Imperialism is the worst of all tyrannies and they will not rest content till it gives place to a real brotherhood of peoples, small and great. As for Palestine and Mesopotamia, Mr. Churchill begrudged the expenditure involved in their occupation, promised reduction, but did not mention that the only right and honourable course for Britain is to evacuate them. But how can one expect these considerations to weigh with those who are actuated by the desire to exploit other people for the sordid ends of their own country?

### Disinterested Solicitude!

The harassment to which Mr. Montagu is being subjected in connection with the alleged placing of orders for railway and other stores with foreign manufacturers affords an illuminating comment on the disinterestedness of those who are controlling the industrial destiny of India at present. It is an admitted fact that the lowest rates which British manufacturers are able to quote today are, in many cases, a good deal higher than the rates which one can easily obtain for the same quality of goods from continental manufacturers. Mr. Halai mentioned the other day in the course of his communication on the Bombay Development Scheme, that for a particular machine, which a friend of his wanted to purchase, the British manufacturers quoted £1200, French manufacturers £500 and German manufacturers £350. And yet, "disinterested" British statesmen and members of Parliament would have India, in "Imperial interests", pay the doubly or trebly higher British rates and put herself to heavy loss, so that the payment of unemployment doles to the unemployed workers of Great Britain may become unnecessary! When such is the benevolent attitude of British politicians, what guarantee is there that Sir William Meyer and those responsible for the purchase of stores for India will be able to resist the seductive appeal to "Imperial interests"? So long as the post of India's High Commissioner is held by a member of the Anglo-Indian bureaucracy, so long will the interests of this country stand the risk of being sacrificed to alien interests on pleas which are manifestly dishonest.

## GLORY OF GUJERAT.

### AWAKENING AMONG THE PEOPLE.

(Contributed.)

The Broach Conference has passed off giving once more a striking proof of the awakening among the people of Gujarat. Even the sceptics and cynics in the country who still regard the present movement of purification only as a passing effervescence, who see nothing of stability and lasting endurance in this "destructive" non-co-operation, who look upon Charkha only as a "caprice of a saint" can well turn to Gujerat to purge once for all their minds of their doubts.

Gujerat has seen nothing of destruction by this movement. Is the springing up of a large number of national schools destructive? Or is the habit of temperance which is being assimilated by the ignorant working classes destructive? The Charkha has been an insurance against famines and Gujerat is all the richer for it.

### A Land of Despair.

Gujarat was once a land of despair to all the politicians and public workers of the country. Its people were known to be greedy, supine, luxurious and suffering from all the defects of a mercantile community without relieving merits. Theirs was the Mammon-worship pure and simple and their one concern in life was how to get-rich-quick. This impression was more or less strengthened by the feud in the Surat Congress. Gujerat took less and less prominent part in the political movements of the country and offered no substantial quota towards national regeneration.

### Gujerat and Maharastra.

It suffered a great deal when compared to its next door neighbour, the rugged and sturdy Maharastra. Ever ready to sacrifice their all, the Marathas still have the princely qualities of their forefathers who ruled over a large tract of land only a hundred years back. The Deccan was the heart of the country when Gujarat was fast asleep. Maharastra had, even then, chalked out a clear path which the country is following to-day with necessary changes. National Education and anti-drink movement were started no less than three decades back. Even socially the "land of heroes and heroines" was far in advance. Patriotism was the first thing that stirred deeply into every Maratha heart and he would shed his last drop of blood on the altar of his country.

A Gujeratee, though as fertile in his mind as the soil of his province, was still old and orthodox in his views. He had not learnt to sacrifice because he had not suffered like his Maratha brother. In social and intellectual spheres he remained closely attached to his old time-worn habits and could not tolerate any renovations.

But the heart was sound though other parts were affected and Gujerat wanted some training from one who knew its habits and temperament intimately. Such a teacher was found at the most opportune time in Mahatma Gandhi. Gujerat is the birth place of Mahatmaji and that is by no means an accident of accidents. It owes as much to the spiritual ascendancy of the land as to his noble parentage.

### Workers in Gujerat.

Gujerat is not guilty of disappointing Mahatmaji. The strength of Gandhiji consists in his stalwart workers and the present steady progress in the land owes very considerably to them. A band of indefatiguable and unsparing public workers are busy carrying the message of non-cooperation in every nook and corner of the province. Every district and every village have to their credit reliable, patient and sacrificing workers who are a proof against all provocation, working day and night for the cause of their country and the benefit of their people. Theirs are the lives dedicated to the noble and lofty cause of their Motherland.

Ahmedabad is the stronghold of non-co-operation. Its almost nationalised Municipality and its temperance work are an example for other cities to follow. Ahmedabad is also rich in its workers.

### Awakening among the Illiterate.

But to witness the wildest awakening among the most illiterate and backward people one must go to Dohad and Jhalod Districts. These districts are mostly inhabited by half-starving and half naked Bhils, the aborigines of the country, and what wonderful work is being done among them! Thousands after thousands of Bhils are everyday giving up the habit of drinking and are readily taking to spinning. They are so mad after this new work! They have found in *Charkha* the panacea of all evils. Charkha is to them their *kamdhenu* for they know that it will feed them and clothe them.

What must be the amount of work required to be done among these unlettered Bhils? And if this movement had not been inaugurated, can one imagine the fate that must have been theirs? Sinking every day deeper into poverty and receiving no help from the *ma bap* Government, the Bhils would have been extinct like the Red-Indians of America. The "destructive" movement of Mahatma Gandhi has brought life to the half dead and the lifeless!

In the Surat District also the progress has been quite satisfactory and the message of the movement is spreading even in distant villages with an increasing momentum.

### Pride of Gujerat.

The Gujerat University is the pride of Gujerat. It has a sufficiently large number of students on its roll. But has the success of any movement depended upon the numbers? The success is measured by the spirit and not the number. "The truest and the strongest" students have left the Government educational institutions and are found to-day amongst the villagers or sitting at the spindle of the wheel working with a concentrated effort with heart within and God overhead to secure their reward only in the freedom of their country.

# BRITISH EMPIRE SITUATION.

## MR. CHURCHILL ON PEACE AND COOPERATION.

## HIS HOPES FOR IRISH PEACE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 12-15 p.m., June 14

Mr. Churchill in the course of a speech delivered in Manchester last night declared that lasting peace could only be secured by real cooperation between Britain, France and Germany. We must understand France's standpoint with hostile Germany across the frontier and Britain must pursue the path of peacemaker in Europe and mitigate Franco-German rancour.

IRISH POLICY.

Everyone, said Mr. Churchill, who cared about the good name of the British Empire were anxious with regard to Ireland but they must realise that the vital interest of this country could not allow a Foreign Republic, equipped with submarines and possibly a hostile army, to be erected on Britain's Flank. Short of this Ireland had been offered a proud position in the British Empire and freedom to govern herself in the fullest sense of Home Rule. They now had for the first time a chance of settling their differences among themselves. Mr. Churchill hoped that there would not result from this another of those disappointments with which Irish relations had been scarred If an agreement was reached between Ulster and South Ireland, safeguarding the interests of the Empire, lovers of Imperial Unity would say "those whom God hath joined, let no man put asunder."

FAILURE OF SOCIALISM IN RUSSIA.

Mr. Churchill pointed to the panorama of misery in Russia as a lesson showing the utter failure of Socialism and the Communistic theory. Mr. Churchill was a Free Trader and favoured minimum of Government interference, but he gave justification for the Government's safeguarding of the Industry Policy as a temporary measure necessitated by the abnormal conditions but having no relevance upon the broad issues of the country's financial policy.

EUROPEAN SITUATION.

Adverting to the European situation Mr. Churchill declared that it was useless merely to talk and wish for peace, unless you gave that measure of reassurance to the anxious and angry nations of the world. "It is futile to trust in the paper League of Nations. The only way to ensure true peace is real cooperation between three mighty nations to repair the ruin of the war and to rebuild the glory of a united Europe. "But," Mr. Churchill declared, "we must be fair to France, who was led to believe at the close of the war that succour from Britain and America would be forthcoming in the event of a repetition of events of 1914. She has not received that assurance and consequently there naturally exists in every French heart profound anxiety of what may happen in the twenty or thirty years' time. Let the path of Britain, which does not face same dangers as France and has none of the resentments which lurk in the bosom of Germany, endeavour to give the sense of security to France and to give to Germany the sense of being treated with fair-play to enable her to control the violent forces still lurking in her midst."

# DECONTROL OF AGRICULTURE

## PROTESTS FROM AGRICULTURISTS,

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 7.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

The decision to decontrol agriculture has caused great consternation amongst the agricultural community. The Farmers' Union objects to disorganisation which will be caused by the repeal of the Act which only came into operation on January 1st, while the prospect of lower wages owing to the dropping of minimum pay, which is now 46 to 50 shillings per week, and also longer hours is causing great concern amongst the labourers. It is generally agreed that the pre-war employment conditions must return. Nevertheless, the outlook in agriculture is far from bright and the present marked tendency to turn ploughland into grass complicates the position for the labourers who already exceed the demands.

The suggestion which was made that the difficulties ahead could be tided over, if the workers were to agree to increased hours without extra pay, has been abandoned as impracticable as also the idea of applying the Factory Union Rates.

The press points out that the Cabinet in arriving at the decision had to consider the Dominions' wheatlands and the Dairy Farms and maintains that the whole edifice of the Empire stands upon food production and consumption of Britain and that while the British farm worker plays a very necessary part in the Empire's responsibility, he is by no means a leading actor

# RESTORATION OF ORDER IN UPPER SILESIA.

## GERMAN GENERAL'S UNDERTAKING

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

Berlin.—The task of the Allied troops in restoration of order in the industrial region of Upper Silesia is expected to be greatly facilitated as a result of the German General giving an undertaking not to make further advance. This promise is the outcome of the Allied representations to the Berlin Government.

# POST OFFICE ESTIMATES.

## PROTEST AGAINST INCREASED RATES

## MR. KELLAWAY'S REPLY TO PRESS DEPUTATION

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Commons during the discussion of Post Office estimates, Mr. Kellaway announced that Government intended to drop the proposed increase in the charges of newspapers and printed matter for abroad. He said that he loss on carriage of inland printed papers and postcards was £2400 thousand sterling. He estimated that the whole increased charges would produce two and a half millions and the remaining million of a deficit of three and a half millions would be provided by the abolition of Sunday post.

There is a growing opposition to increased postal charges, in connection with which there have been several deputations to Mr. Kellaway, who replying to the deputation representing newspaper proprietors and the Empire press union which laid stress on the injurious effect of the proposed increases on British oversea trade and British commercial propaganda abroad, promised sympathetic consideration but pointed out that it was his duty to make the Post Office self-supporting. The Council of the Empire press union has passed a unanimous resolution requesting the withdrawal of the proposed increase in the charge for printed matter from the Union Kingdom to the Dominions. A Formidable prottest has been forwarded to the premier on behalf amongst others of the Colonial Institute, the Empire League, the Oversea Club, the Patriotic League and the Royal Society of Literature expressing dismay at the enhanced rates, of knowledge between the various parts of the Empire.

# HAYWOOD BYE-ELECTION.

## A LABOUR VICTORY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

The result of the bye-election for Heywood division due to Mr. Illingworth's peerage is as follows:—

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| Halls, (Labour) | 13,439 |
| England, (Coalition Liberal) | 13,125. |
| Piestone (Liberal) | 5,671. |

## HEYWOOD ELECTION RESULTS,

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

Heywood is the seventeenth seat lost to the Government since the general election. Mr. Halls, National Union of Railwaymens' organiser in Nottingham, fought the bye-election on Government's extravagance in post-war military adventures and the tragedy in Ireland. The figures showed that many electors who abstained in 1913 voted. Halls secured Irish votes.

# LABOUR SITUATION.

## PROSPECTS FAVOURABLE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

Heavy Labour clouds are showing signs of lifting. The chief proceedings in the coal dispute yesterday consisted of a meeting at which the men submitted written questions to the owners on matters, requiring elucidation and after discussion it was arranged that the replies should be given at the Conference to-day.

There are prospects of the Engineering trouble being settled before the Wage Reduction Notices come into operation.

The Trade Union representatives saw Mr. Macnamara yesterday and will report to the Conference at York today.

A joint meeting of the Cotton Employers and Employees has been arranged to take place in Manchester on Friday.

## PROLONGED SESSION ANTICIPATED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 9.

The prospects of prolonged Parliamentary session are increased by Government's introduction of bills repealing the Agriculture Act and amending the Unemployment Insurance Act, as both are likely to be controversial and critical.

# EFFECT OF COAL PRICES.

## TRADE RETURNS FOR MAY SHOW DECREASE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14

The effect of the coal crisis is reflected in the Board of Trade returns for May, which show that the imports amounted to £86 million sterling's worth compared with £166 millions in May 1920 and the Exports £43 millions worth compared with £119 million last year. It is noteworthy that coal to value of one and a half millions was imported into the United Kingdom in May compared with nothing in May of last year.

# IMPERIAL FOREIGN POLICY.

## WANTED OPEN DEBATE.

## IN PREMIERS' CONFERENCE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 12-15 p.m., June 14.

Increasing attention is being devoted to the meeting of the Empire Premiers and Imperial Foreign Policy is regarded as being the most important subject for discussion and particularly Anglo-Japanese Alliance.

Major Ormsby-Gore M.P. in an article in the "Nineteenth Century" boldly urges the Premiers to insist upon a public discussion of this item and to ask to hear the American and Chinese views before committing the Empire to any decision He advocates that all cards should be thrown on the table and the problem treated as a whole in the full light of the day. Major Ormsby-Gore hopes that at any rate greater facilities for publicity will be afforded to the proceedings.

## UNIFICATION OF MATRIMONIAL LAW.

### NO DISCUSSION IN THE PREMIERS' CONFERENCE

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

In the House of Commons at question time Mr Chamberlain declared that it would not be possible for the Premiers' Conference to discuss unification of the matrimonial laws throughout the Empire.

# CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS.

## MR HUGHES EXPECTS SOLID RESULTS

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, June 9.

Mr. Hughes on arrival at Paddington to-day was assailed with a torrent of pressmen's questions to which he declined to respond except in the case of the query whether he anticipated solid and lasting results from the forthcoming Premier's conference. His reply was:—"Yes. I think I can go as far as that."

# BRITISH IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF COMMERCE.

## NEXT CONGRESS IN LONDON IN 1923

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

At a meeting of the British Imperial Council of Commerce it was arranged that the next Triennial Congress of the Empire Chambers should be held in London in 1923. Lord Derby was elected president for 1921 and 1922.

# CONSTITUTIONAL CONGRESS OF 1922.

## S. AFRICAN REPRESENTATIVES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

A Cape Town message states that it is authoritatively announced that the Nationalist leader General Hertzog will accompany General Smuts to the Constitutional Congress in 1922, the decision is regarded as an indication that the moderate element in the party has prevailed. While General Bertzog will naturally advance the Nationalist point of view, the decision is regarded as a most desirable one from all standpoints.

# SECRETARYSHIP OF LEAGUE NATIONS UNIONS.

## APPOINTMENT OF M. VENIZELOS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

It is understood that M. Venizelos, is shortly to become Secretary to the General Federation of the League of Nations Unions. He has declined salary.

## M. VENIZELOS NOT TO BE SECRETARY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

A Geneva message states that in deference to the prevalent feeling that the appointment might be regarded as political. Professor Ruyssen has been elected Secretary to the General Federation of the League of Nations Unions instead of M. Venizelos.

## NAVAL APPOINTMENTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

The following Naval appointments are announced:—

Rear Admiral Edward Kiddle to be superintendent at Chatham.

Rear Admiral Luce to be superintendent at Malta.

# EXPORTS CREDIT SCHEME

## STATEMENT OF INDIA'S EXCLUSION

## NOT MADE BY PREMIER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

Recd. 9-45 p.m., June 14.

With reference to the Reuter Message from London dated May 31st, containing a statement alleged to have been made by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons regarding India's exclusion from the Exports Credit Sscheme, Reuter's Agency begs to state that the cable was issued in India as received and that the mistake of attributing the statement to the Premier was made in London.

## EXPORTS CREDIT BILL.

### SECOND READING PASSED IN COMMONS

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

The Exports Credit Bill has passed its second reading in the House of Commons. Mr. Lloyd George explained that the Bill gave the Board of Trade power to extend the original Act to the British Empire and the mandated territories, though at the present time the scheme did not extend to India or British possessions in the Far East.

## PROCEEDS OF INDIAN STERLING LOAN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Commons replying to Sir Samuel Roberts, Mr. Montagu said that the prospectus in connection with the recent Indian sterling loan stated that the entire proceeds would be utilised for the purchase of railway material in the United Kingdom and therefore no part of the proceeds would be expended abroad. Montagu mentioned that nine hundred thousand sterling had been spent in Britain during May on account of railway capital.

## INDIAN DIVORCES VALIDITY BILL,

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Lords the Indian Divorces Validity Bill passed its third reading today.

## COMMERCIAL TREATY BETWEEN IRELAND AND RUSSIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 9.

A White Paper states that documents captured in Dublin outlining the proposed commercial treaty between the Russian Bolshevik Republic and the Irish republic for a period of ten years was accompanied by a memorandum by de Valera dated June 15th 1920, recommending the treaty to the consideration of the Cabinet and suggesting that the terms should be designed so as to bring in portions of Ulster on the side of republic.

# SIR PERCY SYKES' HISTORY OF PERSIA.

## BRITISH POLICY CRITICISED

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, June 9.

The second edition of Sir Percy Sykes' history of Persia published by Macmillan carries on the story from 1906, where the first edition ended to the present hour. Criticising the Anglo-Persian agreement of 1919, Sir Percy shows the reasons for non-acceptance foretelling the downfall of Ziaudin's cabinet. He expresses the opinion that Persia may burn her fingers in the cauldron of Russian communism and then bitterly repent. Ziaudin's policy of financing the Government by imprisoning and squeezing the grandees is foredoomed to failure. Riza Kuli the present dictator is not likely to maintain his position owing to his lack of ability and jealousies in the Persian Cossack Division.

British policy in handing over South Persia Rifles to the Persian Government and helping to form a national army is now imperilled. There is, continues Sir Percy, some feeling against British advisers both military and financial, who in some cases have shown ignorance of the true state of feeling and conditions. The considerable Bolshevistic activity which prevails possibly foreshadows a period of Bolshevist predominance. This again will bring about its own reaction. The withdrawal of British troops has undoubtedly encouraged powerful influences antagonistic to law and order. Sir Percy Sykes concludes by saying that the position of affairs justifies anxiety and demands close study.

# SIR J. FINDLAY ON IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

## A CORRECTION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 12-15 p.m., June 14.

With regard to the paper read before the Colonial Institute mentioned yesterday a cabled correction states that Sir John Findlay did not advocate Imperial Federation, but on the contrary recanted his previous support. He declared that he agreed with General Smuts that the only feasible method of Inter-Imperial cooperation was the method on which the Empire had relied in the past, namely, that of greater conference and concert between the Oversea Autonomous Governments and the Mother Country.

# MIDDLE EAST POLICY.

## FORTHCOMING DEBATE IN PARLIAMENT.

## ARMENIAN AFFAIRS NOT TO BE DISCUSSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Commons Lord Robert Cecil asked upon what vote it was proposed that the debate on Government's Middle East policy should be held and whether it could be arranged to refer to the Egyptian, Arabian, Armenian and Persian aspects.

Mr. Chamberlain stated that the debate would be held upon the vote for the Colonial Office for monies in respect of the administration of Palestine and Mesopotamia and certain political expenditure in Arabia. He consequently presumed that the discussion would be confined to those countries, though he supposed that repercussion of affairs and events in the neighbouring countries would not be excluded. He expressed the opinion that it would be impossible to make the vote an occasion for the discussion of affairs in Armenia and Persia, which were outside the scope of the Colonial Office.

# ATTITUDE OF TURKISH NATIONALISTS.

## "NO ILL-WILL TOWARDS BRITAIN."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

An authoritative Angora source in London in explaining the attitude of the Turkish Nationalists contends that the Angora Government entertains no ill-will towards Britain. It ascribes the present position in the first place to the fact that the prisoners released from Britain did not include a single Nationalist Leader, in the second place to the failure of the London Conference, especially with regard to the question of Thrace which is most vital to Turkey and in the third place to the rumours regarding British attitude and declarations by the Greek Ministers having led the people to the belief that Britain is behind the Greek offensive.

# IRISH-AMERICAN SINN FEIN PROPAGANDA.

## U. S. NAVAL SECRETARY AMAZED AT ADMIRAL SIMS' SPEECH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 8.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. June 14.

An outspoken speech by Admiral Sims at a banquet in London this week, attacking the Irish-Americans Sinn Fein propaganda has caused a furore in the political circles at Washington. Mr. Denby, Secretary of Navy, has sent a cable to Admiral Sims expressing his amazement and requesting him immediately to cable if his speech was correctly quoted.

# JAPANESE CULTURE PEARL.

## NEW INSTRUMENT FOR DETECTION.

REUTER'S TELEGRAM.

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

At the annual Conference of the National Association of Goldsmiths in Leicester it was stated an instrument had been invented which distinguishes between a Japanese culture pearl and a real pearl. The test is made by means of ultra-violent rays of 1500 candle power and is said to have given excellent results. The culture pearl becomes yellow under the rays.

# TRADE AND RESOURCES OF RUSSIA.

## SOME ANGLO-GERMAN AGREEMENTS

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14

Berlin.—The "Tageblatt" states that certain British and German industrial interests have concluded agreements to develop the trade and exploit the resources of Russia as a result of the negotiations conducted by M. Krassin, when in Berlin recently, with Herr Hugo Stinnes. The journal adds that systematic reconstruction of Russia will be undertaken in close touch with the Russian Delegates. M. Lenin will reconstruct the Government on a Coalition basis.

# DISARMING U. S. "WOULD BE HEIGHT OF FOLLY."

## NO POSSIBILITY OF WAR BETWEEN AMERICA AND BRITAIN.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON June 9.
Recd. 1 p.m., June 14.

New York.—Mr. Weeks, addressing the graduates of the University declared that he abhorred the war, but for America to be the first to disarm would be the height of folly when feverish military preparations were proceeding among those with whom America might possibly come into contact. Mr. Weeks refused to give a moment's consideration to the possibility of a war between America and Britain and declared that "such a conflict would end civilisation".

# CONSTANTINE VERSUS KEMALISTS.

## SIGNIFICANCE OF BRITISH WARSHIPS IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

## STATEMENT OF POLICY DEMANDED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Commons Mr. Esmond Harmsworth drew attention to the arrival of British warships in Constantinople and asked if Government intended actively to support Constantine against the Kemalists.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that warships were due in Costantinople on June 15th for a month's stay in accordance with the programme of the cruise arranged at the end of April. He declared that Government's policy was under consideration. Replying to Commander Kenworthy, Mr. Chamberlain emphasised that it was not a naval demonstration.

## "DAILY TELEGRAPH" ON KEMALIST ADVANCE

### FOUNDATION OF SENSATIONAL STORIES

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON June 9.
Recd. 1 p.m., June 14.

The "Daily Telegraph" emphasises that in view of Britain's large responsibility in the protection of Constantinople and the maintenance of freedom of the Straits, which might be seriously menaced by the Kemalist advance in force in the Ismlo Peninsula we are bound to take precautions against possible eventualities and therefore it is not surprising that certain liveliness is manifested by our naval contingents in the Turkish Waters. The journal says that this is the slender foundation for the sensational stories which have been circularised by some of its contemporaries.

# REPORT ON GREEK ATROCITIES.

## PUBLICATION DEEMED INADVISABLE

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Commons Mr. Chamberlain said that Government was not convinced of the advisability of publishing report of International Commission of investigation into Greek atrocities against the Turkish population of Yalova, until it consulted other governments represented on the Commission.

## KING OF GREECE GOING TO SMYRNA

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.
Recd. 2 p.m., June 14.

Athens.—It is officially announced that the King is going to Smyrna on June 11th accompanied by the Crown Prince, the Premier and the Minister of War.

# THE LEIPZIG TRIALS.

## GERMAN MILITARY CIRCLES DIJECTED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

In the House of Commons Mr. Buttomley asked whether the Solicitor General was satisfied with the results of the Leipzig trials. Sir E. Pollock replied that it was improper for him to make a statement at present but he emphasised that the sentence delivered in his presence had caused great dejection amongst the military party in Germany. He added that every effort was being made to secure arrest of the three criminals in the British cases who had escaped including the Commander of the submarine which sank Llandovery Castle. The property of the commander had been sequestrated. Sir E. Pollock added that when the French, the Belgian and other cases had been tried the whole matter would be reconsidered by the Allies.

## STATEMENT ON MIDDLE EAST

Mr. Chamberlain announced that Mr. Churchill's statement on the Middle East would be made on June 14th. He hoped that the discussion of agenda for the Imperial Conference would take place on June 17th.

## WHEREABOUTS OF O'CALLAGHAN

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 9.

A Washington message states that the lawyers of O'Callaghan have given the Labour Department information with regard to O'Callaghan's whereabouts and plans, but in the interests of justice the Department regards the information as confidential. With the exception of a single appearance in March, O'Callaghan has completely disappeared since he landed.

A Washington message states that the Senate has adopted resolution ordering investigation of Vice-Admiral Sims' speech.

Representations are expected to be made to Mexico immediately with regard to the increased petroleum tax.

# LIQUOR SHOP PICKETING SUCCESSFUL.

## HANDSOME CONTRIBUTION TO SWARAJ FUND.

### POLICE TACTICS TO WRECK DISTRICT CONFERENCE FAIL.

### ALLEGED OFFICIAL ATTEMPTS TO CREATE BAD BLOOD.

(From owr own Correspondent.)
HYDERABAD, June 4.

Picketting has been organised near liquor shops at Karachi and Sukkur and it has been a great success. The consumption of liquor is being reduced with extraordinary rapidity. Both at Karachi and Sukkur the volunteers have been actually assaulted either by the frequenters of the liquor shops or by the license-holders themselves but they have borne the beatings with remarkable self-restraint. A volunteer at Karachi, when beaten by the liquor seller, Christ-like said "Beat me once again". The Temperance campaign has had a magical effect in the remotest villages of Sind. Almost everywhere the *panchayats* have prohibited the use of intoxicants on marriage and other festive occasions absolutely. I do not think I am far wrong in saying that three-fourths the villages in the province have tobooed liquor. Picketting is also being organised at Hyderabad.

A KHADDAR PROCESSIOIN.

Hyderabad had its second *khadi* procession last evening the first one took place during the National Week. Men of all ages marched through the town in double file, led by two parties of singers, who were singing songs on the *charkha* and the new Era it was heralding. The procession ended in a big open air meeting outside the Holinsted Hall. Mr. Jairamdas was in the chair Doctor Choithram spoke on the present situation, stating that the expression of regret by Messrs. Shaukat Ali and Mahomed Ali was a conclusive proof of the progress of the idea of non-violence in the country. He condemned the starting of *Gkulam sabhas* in Sind resulting from the sulfishness of zamindars, who had their own personal and selfish ends to serve and he appealed to the Moderates to join in the Temperance and Swadeshi propagandas, both of which were non-controversial.

FORCING THE ISSUE.

The question of nationalising the municipal schools is pending before the Karachi Municipality, but since some non-cooperators had sent in notice of other motions and were taking some time in sending a notice of a motion for the nationalisation of municipal schools, the notice was sent by a confirmed, co-operator, Mr. Wadhumal Oodharam, member of the Bombay Legislative Council. It is said that he gave notice of the motion with a view to bring the matters to a head at once. He knew that the proposition would be lost and he would have the pleasure to see the non-cooperators outside the Municipality for Mahatma Gandhi had advised them to resign if they lost the resolution. Mr. Wadhumal gave notice on the 13th May. On 19th May Mr. T. K. Jeswani, editor of the "New Times" and a non-cooperator member of the Corporation, gave notice of a similar motion. The matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the Municipality.

WHO PRACTISES VIOLENCE?

Mr. Pamanmal, a non-cooperating student, visited the village of Ramoti, in Sukkur district. The Moulvies of the place pressed him to speak on Non-Co-operation at the local Masjid. Accompanied by four elderly Hindus, he came to the Masjid, after the afternoon prayers. He had heard that a local *zamindar* had arranged to give the Hindus a beating. When Mr. Pamanmal arrived at the Masjid the zamindar was awaiting him. He prevented him from speaking either on Non-Cooperation or Khilafat, and asking Mr. Pamanmal to stand aside, instigated some of the Mahomedans to fall upon the Hindus. The order was obeyed. The Hindus bore the beating silently—without raising their hands in return. The *panchayet* on learning of this uncalled for assault was greatly incensed, and the village observed a *hartal* as a protest. Interested parties have now started the false story that the Hindus had come to the Masjid with their shoes on and hence they were beaten and driven out. They bore the beating patiently but the *panchayet* collected Rs. 500 to take procedings against the zamindar but they were dissuaded from doing so by the Congress workers.

BEHIND THE SWEEPERS.

The *panchayets* of the members of lower classes are ahead of other *panchayets* in boycotting liquor. The latest instance is from Tatta. The sweepers there have resolved not only to impose a fine of twenty rupees on any sweeper who drinks liquor, but they have also resolved to inflict still more severe punishment of excommunication on the guilty for six days! That the educated people of the large westernised cities should fall behind even the sweepers, shows what western education has done for India.

PETTY HARASSMENTS.

The Congress Committee volunteers have been collecting small donations for the Tilak Swaraj Fund at various stations. Latterly the police authorities have been giving them trouble. The local railway authorities have been prohibiting such collections. Recently at Rohri the volunteers declined to leave the platform unless a written order was served on them. The police brought *lathis* to drive out the volunteers, but desisted finding some elderly persons with the volunteers. Soon after a ticket collector asked for the platform ticket of a volunteer. He took the ticket presented by the volunteer and thrust it inside the collection box, so that the volunteer could not prove that he had come to the platform with a ticket. Happily the Captain of the volunteers was also on the platform, and he opened the box to take out the ticket.

HYDERABAD COLLECTIONS.

The Hyderabad Congress Committee has so far collected Rs. 40,000 in Tilak Swaraj Fund from the City of Hyderabad, the amount being double the share of the whole district, according to the proportion fixed by the All-India Congress Committee. The Hyderabad Committee, however, intends to work on till it gets the figure of one lakh from the city and half lakh from the rest of the district.

HYDERABAD, June 6.

How far the unbridled bureaucracy of Sind can go in the adoption of mean methods to oppose Non-Cooperation is clear from what happened on the occasion of the Sukkur District Conference, held last month at Ubavro A few days before the Conference, the Congress workers went to the neighbouring villages, conveying the message of the Congress and announcing about the coming Conference. The police sent its own message round thereafter that the Conference would not come off as the President and other distinguished guests would not come. The Deputy Collector sent for the Mukhis of the *panchayets* of the neighbouring villages, and the leading zamindars of the place and told them to prevent people from coming to the Conference.

NO CONVEYANCE FOR PRESIDENT.

On the day of the arrival of the President and his party, the officials threatened the *garriwallas* that they must not give their carriages to the Conference people. The result was that when the President, Mr. Virumal, and other distinguished people, arrived at the station, they could not get any carriages. In despair a bullock cart was hired, but the driver also refused to take them, when a police *jamadar* gave him a beating. In the end, the President and his party, had to foot in the sun a distance of about a mile to a neighbouring village, where the *panchayet* got them carriages which brought the President to the Conference at noon.

It seems people had been threatened that if they went to attend the Conference, their houses would be broken into. When the people brought this to the notice of the Conference organisers, the latter despatched a batch of volunteers to patrol the town. It was known that the officials had hired a number of people to create trouble at the Conference and incite the people to violence. Soon after the proceedings commenced, a man; standing near the C. I. D. people, said that he wanted to speak. When asked on what resolution he wanted to speak, he could make no satisfactory reply. The C. I. D. men began pressing on his behalf, telling the organizers that he should be allowed to speak. The man in his speech abused some of the leading Congressmen present there, but the audience remained self-controlled and heard him patiently. Soon after another Mahomedan got up and without any provocation began to beat two volunteers and then threw his shoes at some delegates. Even these assaults were borne by the people, without raising their hands in return. The organisers had prohibited the bringing of *lathis*, otherwise the injuries would have been far worse.

NO VOLUNTEERS RETALIATED.

The Conference passed off without any volunteer or delegate retaliating inspite of the grave provocations from the Police. The hired carriages were not available even for the return journey. The President, Moulvi Taj Mahomed and others got down at Mirpur Mathelo to organise a meeting but the police and other officials there also tried to create trouble. They interrupted the speakers with provocative questions, and insulted Moulvi Taj Mahomed by saying that he was not a Moulvi and had no right to take the chair at the meeting. When putting questions, they clapped and tittered.

SETTING HINDUS AND MAHOMEDANS BY THE EARS.

After the Conference, the officials have been adopting all possible means to terrify and demoralise the people, and trying their best to see that the non-cooperators get no audience. My latest information is that Mukhtiarkars and other officials are organising meetings of Mahomedans, and telling them that the Hindus are deceiving them, and that they should have no connection with them. The result has been that the Mahomedans are saying openly to the Hindus that if they allow the Non-cooperators to lodge with them, they would commit thefts in their 'Hindus') houses. The officials have by these methods destroyed the Congress Committees at two places.

A few days ago at Ghotki 30 or 40 Mahomedans armed with lathis, came up to assault Mr. Valecha and his party. Mr. Valecha faced the assailants to receive the beating. But a number of yourg Hindus came to sit by their side and the scuffle was averted. The local *panchayet* of the Hindus at once met and sent for the non-cooperators. The armed Mahomedans followed and sat in the *panchayet* uninvited. The *panchayet* seeing the situation, told Mr. Valecha that it would be better if he left the village. Mr. Valecha replied that he could make no such promise. He would leave the village when his work of conveying the Congress message was done The *panchayet* then asked the Mahomedans to leave, but they began laughing and blocked the passage, waiting for Mr. Valecha to leave so that they could beat him. After waiting fruitlessly for one hour, the *panchayet* sent forty Hindus to accompany Mr. Valecha to the station.

These are the legitimate methods employed by the Officials of Sind to kill the Non-Cooperation movement. Is Sir George Lloyd proud of such subordinates? It seems now clear that the Bombay Government wishes to follow in Sind the methods of the Behar Government to meet the Non-Cooperation movement, if not even improve upon them.

# "BEING FORCED TO ADOPT SATYAGRAHA."

## RAMBHUJ DUTT'S STATEMENT.

### WHAT PROHIBITION OF COMMITTEE MEETING MEANS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
LAHORE, June 14.

The following is a fuller report of Pundit Rambhuj Dutt Choudhri's interview with a representative of the "Tribune" on the prohibition of the City Congress Committee meeting:—The Pundit was of opinion that the order was absolutely illegal as the meeting was a private one and as such, outside the purview of the Seditious Meetings Act, and that the notice convening the meeting, which was prepared under his instructions, made it perfectly clear that no one except members, producing membership certificates would be permitted to enter the hall. He further stated that discussions of place of a meeting or number of persons attending it, had nothing to do with its being a private or public meeting. Continuing, he said "We are being forced into adopting Satyagraha."

In reply to the telegram, Mr. Vijayaraghava Chariar, President of the All India Congress Committee, has promised to place the matter before its meeting of the 14th instant. Replies from Pundit Motilal Nehru and Mahatma Gandhi are being awaited. "We are" he said, "going to call another meeting and give the District Magistrate another chance The attitude of a large number of Government officials all over the country is calculated either to force us to have resort to passive resistance and civil disobedience of manifestly illegal orders or else to provoke the more rash and indiscreet among us to commit acts of violence."

## CONVICTION OF SIX STUDENTS

### APPLICATION FOR REVISION REFUSED

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
ALLAHABAD, June 14.

A Rae Bareli message says that Dr. Kaikarnnath Misra has filed an application for revision before the Sessions Judge against the order of the Magistrate of Partabgar who had asked Bansaraf, Radharaman and Mangla Prasad and three others to execute bonds of personal recognizance or undergo six months imprisonment. The counsel said that the accused who were students were charged under section 108 Cr. P. C. for distributing a pamphlet entitled "Kisan ko Sandesh", written by Pandit Motilal Nehru which excited disaffection and hatred against the Government. No action was taken against the author or Pandit Jawarilal Nehru who distributed the same pamphlet both in the Court and outside.

When the case came up for hearing the accused refused to file any application for revision or appeal and Dr. Misra was informed accordingly Dr. Misra submitted that even if the accused did not want to press this application, still it was open to the Court under section 435 of the Cr. P. C. to see to the validity and irregularity of the order of the lower Court in view of the Code. Babu Badri Nath, who appeared for the Crown, said that the accused having refused to apply for revision, Dr. Misra had no *locus standi* and if the Court wanted to take action, the lower Court ought to be informed and served with a notice. The case was adjourned till the 17th June.

## PROSECUTION OF SARDAR SARFUL SINGH.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
LAHORE, June 14.

The case under 124 A and 153 A of the Indian Penal Code against Sardar Sarful Singh Savsseur, Secretary of the Sikh League, was resumed to-day before Mr. Harris, Additional District Magistrate, Lahore. After examination of witnesses, the public prosecutor addressed the Court stating that the articles in question preached disaffection against the Government and, hence charges should be framed. The Magistrate adjourned the case till tomorrow when he would pass orders.

Sir Edward Every Major E. P. F. Shine Sir Evan Maconochie and Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Cadell have left Government House.

There was a meeting of the Executive Council at the Viceregal Lodge at Simla on the 13th June.

# "SWARAJ BEFORE DIWALI."

## PRINCIPAL GIDWANI AT HYDERABAD

### HIS TRIAL TO TAKE PLACE AT MADRAS.

Principal Gidvani arrived here on the 11th to bid farewell to relatives and friends prior to his proceeding to Madras for trial under section 124. A huge meeting held in his honour under the presidentship of Doctor Chaithram Vishnu Sharma congratulated principal Gidwani for suffering in the service of the motherland. Mr. Abdul Majid said that Principal Gidwani was the 25th Sindhi to go to jail. The road to jail was the road to liberty. Many more should be ready to sacrifice themselves like him.

The principal then rose to speak amidst cries of "Bande Mataram". After thanking the audience for having honoured him, he said the Bezwada programme had to be completed before 30th June. The people must open their purses as they were doing in Gujrat which had decided to collect three times its quota. The Mahatmaji wanted every worker to give his all to the Tilak Swaraj fund. In Bezwada he said the same thing that he was saying then. He was prepared to go to jail for this crime. He wanted the audience to remember that like Sita, Bharatmata was in the hands of Ravana and there could be no joy and illuminations so long as she was not free. The banner of liberty must be raised before Divali, so that on that day the victory of Bharatmata might be celebrated with illuminations.

## TO THE MODERATES

### BY MAHATMA GANDHI.

Mahatma Gandhi writes in "Young India":—

Dear friends,

It is a matter of no small grief to me, that I find myself estranged from you in ideas, although by training and association I have been brought up in the company of those who have been regarded as Moderates. Partly owing to circumstances, and partly owing to temperament, I have never belonged to any of the great parties in India. Nevertheless, my life has been influenced much more by men belonging to the Moderate party than the Extremist. Dadabhai Naoroji, Gokhale, Badruddin Tyebji, Pherozeshah Mehta are all names to conjure with. Their services to the country can never be forgotten. They have inspired the lives of many like myself throughout our country. I have enjoyed the pleasantest associations with many of the living amongst you. What is it that has flung me away from you and into the lap of the Nationalist party? Why do I find more in common with the Nationalists than with you? I am unable to see that you love your country less than the Nationalists. I refuse to believe that you are less willing to sacrifice yourselves for the country's good, than the Nationalists. Certainly the Moderate party can claim as much intelligence, integrity and ability as the Nationalists, if not more. The difference, therefore, lies in the ideals.

I will not weary you with a discussion of the different ideals. For the moment, I will simply invite your attention to some of the items in the constructive programme in the movement of Non-co-operation. You may not like the word itself. You may intensely dislike, as I know you do, many items in the programme. But if you concede to the Non-co-operators the same credit for love of the land that you will claim for yourselves, will you not view with favour those parts of the programme on which there cannot be two opinions? I refer to the drink evil. I ask you to accept my evidence, that the country as a whole is sick of the drink curse. Those unfortunate men, who have become slaves to the habit, require to be helped against themselves. Some of them even ask to be helped. I invite you to take advantage of the wave of feeling that has been roused against the drink traffic. The agitation arose spontaneously. Believe me, the deprivation to the Government of the drink revenue is of the least importance in the campaign. The country is simply impatient of the evil itself. In no country in the world, will it be possible to carry on this traffic in the face of the united and the enlightened opposition of a people, such as is now to be witnessed in India. Whatever the errors of excesses that were committed by the mob in Nagpur, the cause was just. The people were determined to do away with the drink curse that was sapping their vitality. You will not be deceived by the specious argument that India must not be made sober by compulsion, and that those who wish to drink must have facilities provided for them. The State does not cater for the vices of its people. We do not regulate or license houses of ill fame. We do not provide facilities for thieves to indulge their propensity for thieving. I hold drink to be more damnable than thieving and perhaps even prostitution. Is it not often the parent of both? I ask you to join the country in sweeping out of existence the drink revenue and abolishing the liquor-shops. Many liquor-sellers would gladly close their shops, if the money paid by them were refunded.

"What about the education of the children" may be the question asked. I venture to suggest to you, that it is a matter of deep humiliation for the country to find its children educated from the drink revenue. We shall deserve the curse of posterity, if we do not wisely decide to stop the drink evil, even though we may have to sacrifice the education of our children. But we need not. I know, many of you have laughed at the idea of making education self-supporting by introducing spinning in our schools and colleges. I assure you that it solves the problem of education as nothing else can. The country cannot bear fresh taxation. Even the existing taxation is unbearable. Not only must we do away with the opium and the drink revenue, but the other revenue has also to be very considerably reduced, if the ever-growing poverty of the masses is to be combated in the near future.

And that brings me to the existing system of government. The country is the poorer for the Reforms. The annual expenditure has grown. A deeper study of the system has convinced me that no tinkering with it will do. A complete revolution is the greatest need of the time. The word revolution displeases you. What I plead for however, is not a bloody revolution, but a revolution in the thought-world, such as would compel a radical revision of the standard of life in the higher services of the country. I must frankly confess to you, that the ever increasing rate of salaries paid to the higher branches of the Civil Service fairly frightens me, as I hope it would frighten you. Is there any correspondence between the life of the governors and of the governed millions who are groaning under their heels? The bruised bodies of the latter are a standing testimony to the truth of my statement. You now belong to the governing class. Let it not be said that your heels are no softer than your predecessor's or your associates.' Must you also rule from Simla? Must you also follow the policy that only a year ago, you criticised adversely? It is under your *regime*, that a man has been sentenced to transportation for life for holding certain opinions. You may not plead that he was inciting to violence, for not very long ago you dismissed such pleas. The Ali Brothers have apologised for even a suspicion of violence in their speeches. You will be doing a cruel injustice to the country, if you allow yourselves to believe that any fear of prosecution has prompted the apology. A new spirit has been born in the country. The fear of the judge within is more terrible than that of the one without. Do you know that during the past six months several high-souled youths, your countrymen have gone to gaol, because they will not condescend to give security, which in their opinion was dishonourable for them to do? It is under your *regime*, that the patience of utterly innocent Moplas has been put to a severe test, and has as yet not been found wanting. I would gladly think as I really believe, that you are not responsible for the atrocities, that are at present being perpetrated in the name of peace and justice. But you will not let the public or me say, that you are helpless where you are not hoodwinked. That, however, would bring me to a discussion of our ideals, which I must not enter upon at the present moment. If the country can only get your assistance in stopping the drink traffic, you will certainly add to the many services that you have rendered it in the past, and, may be, that one step will open your eyes to many another possibility.

I remain,
Yours, as ever,
M. K. GANDHI.

# ANATOLIAN VICTORIES.

## REVIVAL OF TURKISH HOPES.

### CALL OF STRICKEN TURKISH PEOPLE.

### APPEAL TO INDIAN MUSLIMS.

We are in receipt of a large mass of correspondence from the Near and other parts of the East, disclosing the amazing extent and depth of influence that recent Turkish victory over the Greeks has exercised on the popular mind of the Muslims. Men and women of all sorts and degrees of intelligence are astir with a new hope, with a new prospect of political life that the improved military situation in Anatolia holds out to them. Despite our correspondents' exuberance of ecstasy over this development, all the notes, without a single exception, are characterised by a sense of intelligent and restrained appreciation of the situation rather than that which might have appeared an excusable and therefore normal way of giving expression to individual feelings, viz., the manifestations of wild and boastful mood so painfully characteristic of Turkey's neighbours in the Balkans. Thoughts of most of the writers even betray an almost stoical indifference of the present and are anxiously resting on the possibilities and promises of the future. Typical of this frame of mind is a long note which has been communicated to us by a highly cultured Turkish lady from Constantinople. While this writer occasionally exults in the beneficent changes which this victory portends, she plaintively conveys an appeal to those who possess a feeling heart to desist from the pursuit of that nefarious game of which the Turks solely have been the victims.

**Turks' Last Appeal.**

We mingle with this our as well as the appeal of many millions of those on whose behalf we have the honour to speak, that unless and until the Allies give up all intention of using the Greeks as their puppets, there can be no chance of Peace in Asia. Having despaired of the efficacy of all methods to successfully impress the Allies with justice to herself downtrodden Turkey has at last had to come out in the open field. Its aim was not necessarily to take part in the orgy of blood launched by the savage Greeks, but to convince the Powers behind Greece of the impossibility of Peace on their terms. We trust, after an heroic display, such as we have seen in Anatolia, worshippers of brute force in Europe will recognise Turkish people's just demand, backed up as it is now with tangible and material proofs of their irreconcilable attitude. Having exhausted the whole armoury of moral suasion, the Nationalist Turks were compelled to have resort to arms. In their appeal to the sword, however, they were taking extreme risks, they were daring to challenge the combine armies of three of the world's greatest Powers in possession of all doors to Turkish homelands. They were face to face—within their threshold—with an enemy whose record of courageous and civilised warfare was below zero, and whose attitude for working himself to the highest pitch of mad frenzy of cowardly slaughter of women and children in the hour of his inevitable defeat was proverbial. More than all this, they had to contend against the vile and treacherous machinations of some of their so-called countrymen, who were prepared to sell themselves to any bidder. Those who are crowding to-day in the defiles of Ini Kui and Inonou were faced to foes from within and without.

**Nationalist's Grim Resolve.**

But as our correspondent puts it, they had the irresistible fire of Faith in them. Their hearts were inspired by the solemn ideal of Nationhood. Simple and unsophisticated, ill-fed and ragged, insufficiently supplied with the weapons and materials of warfare, handicapped in resources, lacking sincere and unselfish friends capable of helping them, the handful of heroes who sallied forth to battle had their entire reliance on the undisputed possession of an "iron will." As the events have proved, it rendered them proof against all engines and artifices of war.

**The Call of the Stricken.**

Men and women of Anatolia have done their duty, it behoves all those who cannot or do not share their trials to come to their aid otherwise. There are thousands whose lives are enshrouded in thick pall of sorrow, starvation and misery. Bereft of their dearest ones, who earned their bread, orphans and widows of Anatolia call out through their extreme anguish to their brothers and sisters in the wide world for help. They are looking up to you to fulfil to-day the promise which the Brotherhood of Islam has for all of us. We appeal through these columns once more to our readers, and through them to the whole Muslim world to come to the rescue of the dying members of our families. These stricken members of Muslim family are contending for the provision which must be made for the defence of National country, and against the fury of a cowardly, contemptible and cruel enemy, whose only source of exultation is the slaughter of the unarmed and the defenceless. Elsewhere we reproduce a note sent by the Secretary of State for India to the members of Indian Muslim Delegation in reply to their angry protest against the inactivity and indifference of the British Government towards the lawless and outrageous conduct of fiendish rabble called the Greek Army. The reply duly acknowledges the truth of reports of Greek cruelties, and promises to communicate same to the Greek authorities. The British may or may not succeed in getting the desired effect produced at Athens, but this will not save those innocent lives, who are in want. In want of any and everything you can spare. We address this appeal especially to our fellow-Muslims in India to once more rise to the occasion as they did in days of Balkan War and help save the remnants of the noble Turkish race.—"Islamic News."

## CABLE ITEMS.

It now transpires that second prize in Calcutta Sweep of £36,000 sterling came to Britain. The winner is one Mr. David Doig, a Dundee Jute merchant, who held four tickets.

The American polo team for the test matches will consist of Stoddard Hitchcock, Webb and Filburn (back).

The Viceroy granted interviews to Mr. T. Beltie Shah (Gilani) and Mr. C. P. Ramaswamy Iyer, Advocate-General, Madras, on the 13th instant.

The Exchange Bank Telegraphic Transfer was one shilling three and seventeen thirtyseconds pence; Demand Bills one shilling three and nine sixteenths pence.

The "Pioneer" understands that Mr. H. A. Haseltine on return will take up position of Officer on special duty with the headquarters of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway administration.

In continuation of the Press Communique of the 6th May 1921 it is notified for general information that, intimation has been received that the s.s. Chenab is expected to arrive at Calcutta on the 18th instant with 578 returning Indian immigrants from Jamaica and 327 from Trinidad.

News was received here of the death of Mr. A. Walter, Managing Director of the Calcutta Phototype Company on the 6th June in England. The deceased was well known in volunteer circles, having served in F. Company, 1st Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, for many years. During the war he obtained his majority in Indian Defence Force and did much useful work for his battalion.

# MALEGAON RIOTS.

## PROSECUTION OPENS.

## MAMLATDAR'S EVIDENCE.

### DEFENCE OBJECTION PREVAILS

### MURDER CASE TO COMMENCE FIRST

In his opening notes, Mr. Pradhan, Public Prosecutor, after describing the population of Malegaon, referred to the Hindu Mahomedan disputes and the riot in 1885 between Hindus and Mahomedans on account of the Dasera and Tabut festivals coinciding. Since 1885, the District Magistrate issued proclamations regarding measures to be taken in the Tabut processions to avoid trouble. Since 1917, the Dasera and Tabut festivals again coincided and processions were prohibited, without the previous sanction of the police. In March 1920, he said, the Khilafat Committee was first formed and Hindus and Mahomedans joined it, and resolutions were passed urging the unity of the two communities, though either in ignorance or by error he described them as the two races." Meetings after meetings were called and Government servants described as their common enemy. In September last the Ganpati and Tabut festivals coinciding, the District Magistrate issued a proclamation prohibiting processions without previous sanction of the authorities. This provided, said Mr. Pradhan, further opportunity to the Khilafatists to show that Government officers and the police were their real enemies. When the period of prohibition was over, idols and images were immersed in the river without any ceremony. Then cropped up the questions of the Khilafat and Non-Cooperation. Schools were advised to refuse Government aid. Lecturers, local and for eign, advised the schools to give up the grants, and in order to meet their expenses a fund known as the Imdadul Islam Fund was started, but actually the funds so collected were spent in meeting the expenses of the lecturers and in providing dresses to the volunteers. The Fund began to be collected from the 7th February. A system of Volunteers was organized and their services were utilized for supervision of the collections. There were some merchants and weavers who did not want to pay to the Fund. Those who did not join the Khilafat Committee began to be socially boycotted. Insulting words were written on boards and the same were put on two asses and paraded in the city. The words were "Show not sanags to asses." This increased the displeasure of those who were against the Khilafat propaganda. Thus, said counsel, "the whole trouble in Malegaon had its genesis not from any offence of the local officers but from the violent and abusive preachings and propaganda from outsiders imported to further the Khilafat and N. C. O." He next referred to the District Magistrate's order prohibiting the carrying of sticks and swords by volunteers in public and the feeling exhibited over it by the people. He then described other events between the 13th and 25th April in terms of the official version published soon after the occurrence of the 25th April.

"PLANNING FOR VIOLENT OUT-BREAK."

Mr. Pradhan concluding his statement said that they (?) planned and worked for a violent outbreak. They hoped some action on the part of the local officers would give them a specious *casus belli*. This on the 25th April the rioters, consisting of eight (?) thousand Momins terrified the Non-Khilafatists, Government servants and the lawabiding public. On the morning of the 26th April, bands of Momins were to march on the lock-up and the treasury to release the six volunteers who were put in jail the previous day. The Magistrate, on getting scent, released the volunteers solely for restoring peace and order. When these men were released, the momins returned to the City. They then took the dead bodies of three (?) Momins, killed on the previous night, with great pomp to the burial ground. There they administered religious oaths to all present, enjoining them not to reveal anything of what happened on the preceding day and then returned to the city.

### SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

#### DEFENCE OBJECTION TO PROCEDURE

#### TRIAL POSTPONED.

(From our Special Correspondent.)

MALEGAON, June 11.

When the Court assembled this morning, Mr. M. K. Azad, counsel for the defence made an application for a postponement of the trial. He pointed out to the Court that position taken up by the prosecution the previous day was irregular and untenable. It was open to the prosecution to proceed with the case for murder and arson as early as possible but they could not split up the charges and proceed in the manner they were doing. If Prosecution failed to respond to his appeal to withdraw the charges for murder and arson, as they were bound to do in case they wanted the trial to go on, on the minor charges, Mr. Azad said he would have to ask the Magistrate to exercise his powers and compel the prosecution either to withdraw the charges for murder etc., or proceed at once with those charges. If that was not also possible and if the Magistrate would not concede his legitimate demand he wanted a postponement till he moved the High Court and obtained orders in the matter. Mr. Karandikar also supported the application. The Government Pleader, without definitely opposing the application of the defence, said that the prosecution had already obtained a remand on the murder charge. Their case was not complete and if the defence wanted the postponement, the responsibility would be theirs. The postponement was granted.

AN ANOMALOUS POSITION

In the meantime to keep the Court engaged, it was decided to take up certain cases in which some men were charged with Dacoity. In this connection, an anomalous position has arisen owing to the failure to produce in Court persons whose remand has already expired. Mr. Azad raised the question today and it revealed what lot of confusion prevails in police and magisterial records. There was considerable flutter in the Police dovecotes and files were ransacked and finally a conference behind the backs of the defence was held between the Magistrate, the Government Pleader, Rao Saheb Kokje and the Court Clerk, at the end of which the Magistrate informed the defence counsel that he had sent for all the accused concerned from the temporary jail. Pending their arrival in Court, Mr. Pradhan informed the Magistrate that he would be able to take up their cases numbering six as soon as he had time to go through the papers, but in other cases numbering fourteen or fifteen, the papers were not yet ready, he said. Mr. Azad repeating his objection against the failure to produce these persons in Court on the expiry of their remand, observed that the person in charge of the men should be held responsible for the grave omission. The accused who were all kept in the temporary jail at the Arsenal were sent for under magisterial orders.

THE POINT OF INTEREST.

The point of interest, however, is that, in spite of the prosecution's desire to split up the charges against the men, arrested in connection with the rioting, the case against them was postponed and the prosecution directed to submit a charge sheet against all the accused for offences under the more serious sections of the Penal Code. The course, originally sought to be followed by the prosecution was described by the defence counsel as one of unmitigated persecution and harrassment, and defence counsel further said that in a Court of Law administrative tactics could have no place, and it was the duty of the Court to condemn such attitude on the part of the police and the prosecution. The Court's time between Monday and the submission by the prosecution of the charge sheet for murder will be taken up in hearing the Dacoity cases.

CHARGED WITH "DACOITY"?

Though in law it is described as "Dacoity", the term is only a euphemism for something else. About 22 persons including a Moulvi,—Mahomed Ishaq—are charged under Sections 395, 109 and 114 J. P. C in that "they threatened to take away the complainant's movables and thus took away Rs. 1,000 from him." It may appropriately be described as a case instituted by an anti-Khilafatist against the Khilafatists. The complainant is a Momin by name Bakas Haji Roshan. The alleged dacoity is, in other words, the looting reported here on the 26th April last. This is the first of a series of 19 or 20 cases instituted by the Police against a number of people, respectable and otherwise, in connection with the incidents of that eventful day. The Government Pleader who opened the case yesterday against the accused in the Riots case omitted all reference to the looting or the burning of the Popha'es house and the killing of the Sub-Inspector and Police Constable in order to justify his contention that they were all separate acts having nothing to do with each other, and also to maintain his plea that the accused should be tried, first under some charges, and again at the discretion of the Police on other charges. In the case of Moulvi Mahomed Ishaq and others for whom Mr. Azad appeared, it is said that they sent the amount taken from the complainant to the Central Khilafat Committee in Bombay and that the Police have been able to trace the channel through which it was sent. All these cases must go up before the sessions and all that the Magistrate has to do is a clerk's work—of recording the evidence and committing such men as have *prima facie* case against them to the sessions. This could have been done as well by the Resident Magistrate here, and it is therefore difficult to understand why the Government was advised to appoint a Special Magistrate with special allowances, to do this work and follow mere routine. It seems to me that this is a case of waste of public funds, for which no justification can be adduced.

## TRIAL OF MR. PAMANDAS SUGENOMAL.

### ACCUSED REFUSES TO CROSS-EXAMINE.

(From a Correspondent.)

SUKKUR June 7.

In response to the Court's summons Mr. Pamandas Sugenomal, a propagandaist, appeared in the District Magistrate's Court, Sukkur, to be under Section 108 to show cause why he should not give security of good behaviour for twelve months. He came in national dress with slippers on. He was asked to put this slippers off but on his refusal the Magistrate allowed him to keep them on.

After the charge was read, Ghulam Rasul, of the C. I. D., was examined, who gave a summary of his speeches at Ghotki Uhavaro between the 3rd and 5th April. Mr. Hiranand, Head Master of the local Municipal High School, was then called, who read the accused's withdrawal letter written on the 17th January when he left the school. The public prosecutor characterised the Head Master's evidence as the most damning piece of evidence against the accused. Allah Bakhio, a police constable of Ghotki, Mir Mahomed, of the C. I. D., Karim Bux, a policeman of Ranwati, Chandumal, a Sub-Inspector, stated that the accused preached sedition in Ghotki Ubavaro Taluka.

The accused refused to cross-examine. He submitted that he had no defence to make, no witnesses to give, even if he had any, but that he would give a written statement if he was supplied with the objectionable passages complained of in his speeches.

The Magistrate postponed the case to the 22nd instant to allow the accused to prepare the statement, but demanded sureties till the next hearing. On the accused's refusal to give any bail, he was ordered to remain in custody till the 22nd. The accused had no objection to give personal recognizance, but the Magistrate did not accept it. The accused was ordered to be taken to the jail, where he cheerfully proceeded.

## PURCHASE OF FOOD-STUFFS.

(Associated Press.)

GOALUNDO, June 13.

The Railway and Steamer Companies staff are experiencing difficulty in the purchase of foodstuffs at Goalundo bazaar. The District Magistrate, Faridpur, has arranged for the supply of foodstuff at bazaar rate.

## CONGRESS PROPAGANDA IN GURGAON

(From a Correspondent,)

GURGAON, June 9.

Gurgaon being an official ridden city in Ambala division there was no public life at the place hitherto Lala Shamlal Pandit from Rohtak and Pandit Neki Ram and Mr. Desai from Bhiwani came here yesterday. An enthusiastic public meeting was held at the bazar and a Congress Committee was formed. New life and vigour was infused throughout the city. Eloquent speeches were delivered by the visitors. Pandit Shri Ram Sharma is staying behind to carry on the propaganda in the district. The others left for Hissar.

Under medical advice, Sir Harcourt Butler has cancelled his proposed visit to Lucknow on the 18th and 19th instants.

The appeals preferred by the Ravenshaw College student who has been convicted of house-breaking and sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment was rejected by the Sessions Judge.

## FRONTIER NEWS.

### PUNJABIS MUSSALMANS BRILLIANT LEADERSHIP.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA, June 13.

The latest reports of a brisk action at Haidari Kach on the 4th and 5th instant have been received, when a small picquet of the 28th Punjabis beat off a large number of Mahsuds and in which the artillery played a distinguished part. For several days the enemy had been reconnoitring picquets in Haidari Kach area by night and on the 4th our men came into a sharp encounter when attempts were made by large enemy party operating from Nullah to close with the picquet. The picquet Commander, Lance Nayak Dewan Ali, Punjabi Mussalman, at this time showed great coolness and leadership. He called on his men to fight to a finish and himself rushed to the gateway where he took up a position and held the enemy at bay. The number of the enemy has been estimated at one hundred and fifty.

## BURMA NEWS.

### BUDDHIST MONK ON HUNGER STRIKE.

(Associated Press.)

RANGOON, June 13.

Rev. U. Nagainda, a Buddhist monk, who was called upon by the District Magistrate Pyapon, to show cause under section 108 I.P.C. having failed to do was ordered submit a bond of Rs. 1,500 with two sureties for similar amount for one year. On refusing to furnish the security required, he was sentenced to one year's simple imprisonment and removed to the Rangoon Central Jail on Saturday. It is reported that he has begun a hunger strike, but no authentic information is available.

Recently, Mr. Nagainda who was sentenced at Mandalay gave a surety after four days' incarceration.

Since 1st May, more than double the quantity of last year's rain has fallen in Rangoon.

The appeal of Swami Permanand was dismissed today by Justice Duckworth, who considered the evidence of *alibi* as false and confirmed the sentence of two years' rigorous imprisonment, observing that any one disturbing the peace of the city in such a manner deserves the most severe sentence possible.

The Marine Enquiry Court's finding in the Sanjal case attributes the accident to failure of the steamer's engines, but neither neglect nor default could be imputed to the second or fourth engineer.

## HOME WEAVING INDUSTRY.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, June 13.

Mr. Calvert, Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Punjab, writes to the "Tribune", stating that the bania is trottling the home weaving industry with his high demand for trouble profits and that the shopkeepers refuse to take produce of weavers for sale in cases where they do not borrow money at high rates from them but join the Weavers Cooperative Societies. The home weaving industry can flourish only if the cost of production and expense of marketing are reduced and this can be achieved through cooperation alone.

The Madras Provincial Conference under the new constitution will be held at Tanjore on the 23rd and 24th July.

In the "Pratap" Defamation case, on Monday, last three defence witnesses were examined and cross-examined.


# SHALL WE FAIL ?

## ACID TEST OF SWARAJ.

### NOT A MOMENT TO SPARE.

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(4) All others to pay not less than four annas each.

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AND

20 LAKHS CHARKHAS . . . . . .

**By 30th JUNE.**


## CURIOUS MONOPOLY OF ROADS!

### JAM SAHEB'S NEW ORDER.

(From our Correspondent)

MAHURA, June 8.

An order under the signature of the Political and Foreign Secretary of His Highness the Jamsaheb is issued in Jamnagar, asking people to desist from driving their carriages and carts on state roads when he Jamsaheb's motors are plying. It is further ordered that disobedience of this order will be strictly dealt with even though they or allowed by state servants.

## AN ELECTION PETITION REJECTED.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, June 13.

The judgement of Election Petition commissioners on the Lahore City Mahomeda constituency election has been published The petitioner was Malik Barkat Ali M.A former Editor of "Observer" and the respondent was Muhurrum Ali Chishti, Vakil One of the grounds taken by the petitione was that an account of general intimidation by Non-Cooperators several of his voters could not vote for him, and hence the respondent managed to get more votes.

The Commissioners in the course of their report observe:—Firstly, the case is rendered peculiar and *sui generus* so far as we are aware by the fact that since intimidation was directed against both sides equally it is impossible to say that the petitioner was affected more than the respondent. Secondly, we are quite unable to ascertain even approximately how many voters actually went to the polling station for the purpose of voting and were deterred from doing so, and how many never approached the polling stations.

Acting on the report of the Commissioners His Excellency the Governor has notified that Mr. Muhurrum Ali Chishti has been duly elected.

## STRANDED "COOLIS" AT CHANDPUR

### 322 DEATHS UPTO 11TH INSTANT.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, June 13.

Dr. Batra of the Public Health Department now at Chandpur has submitted a report regarding the health of the coolies stranded there. He says that the Railway Hospital was closed on Friday and 14 patients lying there were removed to the Mission and Elgin Hospitals. From the 15th May to the 10th June, 238 deaths occurred in the hospitals, 27 in the Railway compound, and fifty unregistered deaths making a total of 315. On Friday there were 93 cases in different hospitals and the cooly camp and 7 deaths from cholera.

## SEQUEL TO AN ARREST.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, June 13.

The "C. and M. Gazette" writes on the 11th instant:—

A sequel occurred to the arrest of a Sik by name Sant Singh of Jhelum district on May 1st at the Lahore Railway station for carrying arms without license. He was released on bail and his case was fixed for hearing yesterday. Sant Singh appeared accompanied by nine other Sighs, who were wearing badges and numbers signifying the Akali unit. They also wore brown belts and swords and three of them had battle-axes in defiance of the order passed. All the nine were arrested. They refused to give evidence or to state their parents' names and the places they belong to.

## PROTEST AGAINST DRINK TRAFFIC

(Associated Press.)

POONA, June 14.

The Sanitary Association and the Poon Citizens Association have passed resolutions, favouring complete abolition of the drink traffic in the presidency.

## EXCHANGE AND THE DISPUTES CONTRACTS.

### BOMBAY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE REMOVE MISUNDERSTANDING.

The following telegram was sent on Monday, the 13th June 1921, by the Committee of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce to the Finance Department of the Government of India:—

"Referring to the telegram of the Bombay Native Piece-Goods Merchants' Association, The Committee of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce are anxious that there should be no misunderstanding as to the nature of the disputed contracts. The contracts are in sterling and any refusal to meet invoices in sterling constitutes repudiation nor is the buyer entitled to tender rupees against sterling contracts at any arbitrary rate of exchange.

The Committee, while recognising fully the difficulties of all parties, desire to reiterate the principle of the sanctity of contracts and strongly lepreate the Bombay Native Piece-Goods Merchants' Association's statement that their present policy of refusing to settle except at an arbitrary rate of exchange differs in any way from wholesale repudiation of contracts."

Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia is a candidate for a seat in the Bombay Medical Council in place of the late Dr. S. K. Nariman.

The Hon. Mr. Venkata Reddi Naidu, Minister of Development, is engaged in drawing up practical proposals in connection with various schemes for industrial development and technical and industrial education.

## REPRESSION IN MALABAR.

### STUDENT NONCOOPERATORS SENT TO JAIL.

### YAKUB HASSAN AND CO.

### TO BE RELEASED VERY SOON!

(From our own Correspondent)

CALICUT, June 10.

Mr. H. F. Tavera Tahaldar Magistrate Pannam disposed of another sensational case, in which the Ponnani police charged seven Moplahs with voluntarily causing hurt and wrongful confinement. The case for the prosecution was that the accused at the instance of one Abdulla Musaliar the Khatiff of the local mosque did not allow one Abdul Rahiman to enter the mosque assaulted him, caused him injuries and wrongfully confined him on the ground that he was against the Khilafat movement and that he did not take part in any activities connected with the Khilafat and Non-Cooperation movements. Six of the accused put in no defence, nor did they engage vakils to defend them. They put in a written statement, in course of which they submitted that they were quite innocent in the matter and that the complaintant who was against Khilafat and Non-Coopa ation brought the case with a view to harass them as they were working for the Khilafat and Swaraj. So long as they had accepted the cult of Non-Cooperation, they did not think it expedient to defend themselves. It was a mean lie that the Musliar asked them to assault the complainant, especially as the former was a venerable old man aged over seventy years, who knew perfectly well that the essential feature of Non-Cooperation was non-violence. Moreover he used to persuade them always to be non-violent in all their actions. They were well aware of the fact that the success of Non-Cooperation depended upon non-violence. Those who wanted the favour of the Government might bring several cases against Non-Cooperators, but they would not, under the circumstances, be sorry to go to the jail. Respectable men were now being sent to jail and they would consider themselves fortunate in securing an opportunity to be with them in jail. In conclusion, they submitted that as the evidence adduced in a similar case as an experiment by five of their brethren had proved futile and as they had no faith in Justice, they were prepared to suffer for the cause of their country and religion. The remaining one accused engaged a vakil and defended himself. The Magistrate sentenced five of the accused to undergo regorous imprisonment for a period of four months each, one to three months and acquitted the other who had put in a defence.

Arrangements have been made by the local Khilafat Committee for the maintenance of the families of the six accused, who put in no defence.

It is strongly rumoured in Calicut that Messrs. Yakub Hassan, Madhavan Naydi and Gopala Menon and P. Moideen Koya will be released very soon.

## SERVANTS OF INDIA SOCIETY.

### ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

(Associated Press.)

POONA, June 13.

The anniversary celebrations of the Servants of India Society commenced yesterday, Mr G. K. Deodhar, the vice-president of the Society presiding in the absence of the Hon. Mr. Srinivasa Sastri. Mr. Deodhar reviewed the position of the Society in the country. His speech was couched in an optimistic tone. He points out that the Non-Cooperation movement had left the strength of the Society unimpaired. This deserved to be noted, especially in view of the fact that both the Home Rule and Satyagraha movements had cost the Society one member each. Not only had the membership had remained the same, but a large number of young Indians, being convinced of the utter unsuitability of the Non-Cooperation movement as an instrument for promoting India's advance, had sought admission to the Society. It showed that a reaction had set in against the movement.

Lal Kesharam, Municipal Commissioner, has given notice of a resolution to be moved in the Municipal Committee praying the Governor General to exercise his right clemency for immediate release of the Martial Law prisoners.

Exchange Bank Telegraph Transfer one shilling three and half pence; Demand Bills one shilling three and seventeen thirty-seconds pence.

In connection with a daco ty that was recently committed in the village of Dharampur in the Hoogly District, a Bengalee youth, Subodh Mandal of Liloah, has been arrested. It was suspected by Subodh's father Umesh that the arrest was made on information given by Charan, a neighbour. It was alleged that on Friday Umesh took his gun and shot Charan with buckshots. Charan was removed to the hospital where he died. Umesh was arrested and remanded to custody.


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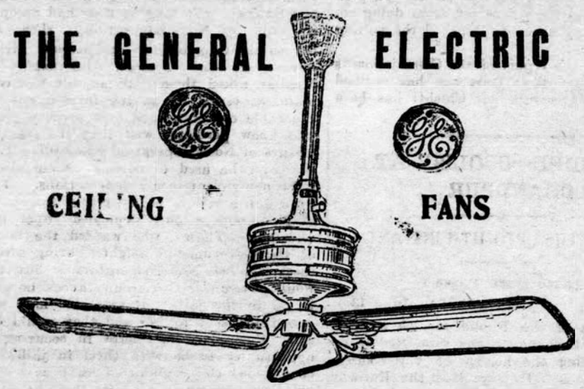

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# POONA LETTER.

## MORE ABOUT KOLHAPUR.

## POOR BOY'S HOME.

### PICKETING—A SPLENDID SUCCESS.

(From our own Correspondent.)

POONA, June 11.

The local journals have all thanked the police for having displayed a sort of in difference towards the picketing movement. It should be pointed out here that much of this thanksgiving business has been done in anticipation of the same spectatorial behaviour on the part of the police in time to come; and it is sincerely to be hoped that the latter also would not ignore the proper and significant expetcation as expressed above. It is certainly a credit to them to have been able so far to pick up only one Amirchand for prosecution, and now-a-days they rarely put in their appearance before some liquor shops in the city. They perhaps think it idle to do so; and here they have thought aright; for not a single soul is seen to step in the liquor shops.

THE "KESARI" AND KOLHAPUR.

The "Kesari" has undoubtedly added a good deal to its reputation by giving publicity to the nefarious conspiracy entered into by the Maharaja of Kolhapur with the Government of Lord Sydenham. Many officials of the present day must have had to swallow this revealed truth, bitter to the extreme as it is—without betraying in the least any sign of perturbation, at least on the surface. The same, to a considerable extent, must have been the unpleasant experience of some prominent moderates of this place, who for all this time, were drunk deep in the delusion, that they, as 'saviours' of the backward and depressed classes, were sure to find in His Highness a staunch supporter and a generous patron of their cause. For a time these liberal politicians did not hesitate even to hug the anti-Brahman leaders close to bosom, but soon the hot winds set in at the time of election to the Reformed Councils: and the Liberals had to extricate themselves from the embrace of their erstwhile associates. Their opposition to the welcome address presented to the late Lokamanya by the public of Poona, dated prior to their separation from the anti-Brahman party. Now, they must have really been stunned to an unimaginable degree by the recent revelations of the "Kesari". For, lo! Mr. Gokhale after all was a "two-penny-man" in the eyes of the Kolhapur Maharaja. The shock, it appears, was rather too much for the "Servant of India"; for, the journal, after a week's rest or more, has at last for the first time in its history congratulated the "Kesari" on its "commendable enterprise" The local Moderate daily advises the backward classes to carry on their movement all aloof from the Maharaja's meddling. But, should it not know that nearer home or rather at home, this very notorious reactionary still occupies the presidentship of the Deccan Education Society? Is it not a dishonour to the sacred name of Mr. Gokhale? As regards the epistles, they may be taken as a rare specimen of human psychology! It will be nearer the truth to surmise that all this well-arranged epistolary evidence might have been prepared for placing before the "Emergency Committee" newly started by Ampthill Sydenham and Co. In fact it is thickly rumoured that the Maharaja intends to retire vacating the throne for the heir apparent. Perhaps, His Highness might have been overcome by a sense of weariness; and must be adding its quota thereto. Whatever that may be this much is true that the Maharaja seems to have abstained once for all from taking a personal part in any movement outside his territory. Again, nothing was heard about His Highness' visit to Mahabaleshwar in the current season' So much is His Highness addicted to his own capital. By no means, a deplorable decision then, we believe.

POVERTY Vs. CHARITY.

The most enervating effects of poverty can be best counter-acted by well-meaning and spontaneous charity entrusted to honest and responsible hands. The Anath Vidyarthi Griha (the Poor-Boys' home) of Poona furnishes an excellent example of the above observation. This is the one model institution of its kind solely depending upon public charity and is being managed in a most efficient and satisfactory manner for the last twelve years. The report read by Mr. Kelkar, on the occasion of the celebration of its twelfth anniversary—which took place on the 29th of the last month, states the present condition of the institution. Sixty poor students are provided with lodging, boarding, clothing and also free-ships in the various high schools. They are given some elementary lessons in technical education. They have successfully conducted a free library, which is now the first and foremost in Poona. A separate class for spinning has been started; and that is a distinct advance over many other educational institutions. The conductors of the institution have now proposed some new developments in the line of experimental agriculture and farming. Their sore need today is a spacious grounds—an open plain that can be used both for agricultural and gymnastic purposes. Will some rich philanthrophist help this noble purpose?

HISTORICAL RESEARCHES.

Quite a number of distinguished antiquarians had gathered in Poona at the close of the last month to celebrate the ninth annual gathering of the Itihasa Samshodhak Mandal. Mr. Sampatrao Gaikwar, brother to His Highness, the Maharaja Gaikwar—had been specially invited for presiding over the function. Important essays were read before the season, throwing much light over the details of Saint Tukaram and many other kindred subjects. Shivaji, we were taught, was born in 1627, but probably we shall have to unlearn this, in as much as it is being saught to be decisively argued that Shivaji was born in 1630. The reading of essays continued over two days, and on the last day, the exhibition was thrown open to the public. Old manuscripts ancient coins, the Moghul paintings, unearthed stone-carvings of various human forms and such other material is to be seen arranged in a lively and picturesque manner. The exhibition attracts the young and the old alike and it is no wonder if their imagination is flooded with thoughts of the glorious past by the sight of all these exhibited curios. The national value of these attempts at historical research, can never be overrated. We have now learnt that the 'black-hole tragedy' of Calcutta was a mere myth and not a history. Who knows, how many things we shall have to learn and unlearn? This institution is proposed to be modelled on the lines of post graduate research classes. The assiduity and sincerity of the veteran workers like Messrs. Rajwade Khare, Potdar Mujumdar Patwardhan and others will, it is hoped, not fail to achieve the cherished goal ere long.

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## CONGRESS PROPAGANDA IN ASSAM.

### VISIT FROM MR. GANDHI REQUESTED

(From our Correspondent.)

GAUHATI, June 7.

The first meeting of the newly constitute Assam Provincial Congress Committee was held on the 5th June in the officeroom of the Committee. The principle that no practising lawyer could be an office bearer was passed by a majority after a very heated discussion. Sreejat Kulabhar Chaliha and Nabinchandra Barbaloi (both with practice suspended) were elected President and General Secretary respectively. A resolution requesting Mahatma Gandhi to visit Assam by the 20th June was passed most enthusiastically. ASSAM Is most anxiously waiting for the Mahatmaji, who has visited all provinces except this one. The people always and everywhere enquire when the Mahatmaji and other leaders are coming. The local leaders are in a fix not being able to answer these frequent queries. Congress organisation work is going on rapidly. District Congress Committees have been formed in all the thirteen districts.

The Gauhati District Congress Committee has enlisted twenty thousand members up to now.

The Deputy Commissioner of Nowgong District has served the following notice on about a dozen Congress workers:—"Whereas it has been reported to me that certain persons have been making speeches likely to cause breach of peace, more particularly among the garden coolies, you are hereby warned that if you make speeches or use language likely to lead to race or class hatred or breach of peace you will render yourself liable to be proceeded against in accordance with the law".

Pandit Rambhuj Dutt Choudhari, President of the City Congress Committee, Lahore, has wired to Mr. Vijayraghav Charier, President of the Congress, Pundit Motilal Hehru and Mahtma Gandhi on the question of the prohibition of the Congress Committee meeting by the District Magistrate.

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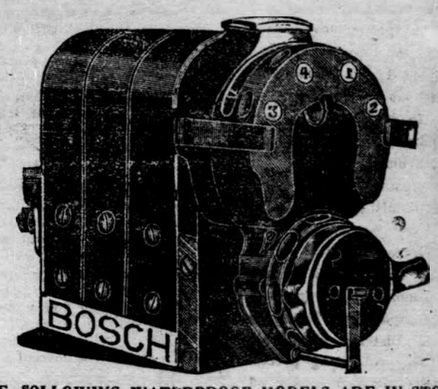


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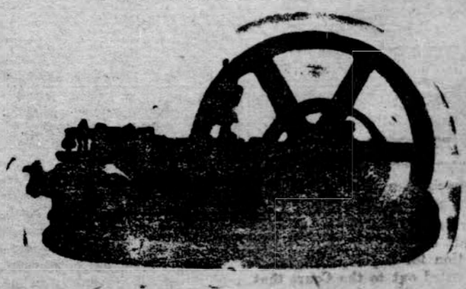

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## PUBLIC MEETING IN JUBBULPORE

### DISCLOSURE OF SIMLA INTERVIEWS URGED,

The Hon. Secretary, District Congress Committee, writes from Jubbulpore:—

The citizens of Jubbulpore, assembled in a public meeting on Sunday, the 5th June, passed the following resolutions:—

(1) That they have full confidence in the Congress leaders. (2) That considering the present situation created in consequence of the Simla interviews, and speeches, it is high time that Mahatma Gandhi, Lala Lajpatrai, Pundit Malaviya and the Ali brothers, who are all concerned, should soon disclose the whole affair in detail to the public. Not disclosing the affairs concerning them, will be most injurious. (3) That the assembly demands that Shriyut Vijairaghavachair, as the President of the All-India Congress Committee, ought to state how the Congressmen should stand and act today. (4) That in new of the indecent taunts, whether rightly or wrong'y, flung at the leaders by Lord Reading at Simla, it has become incumbent on the leaders to clear the midst and to keep the public confidence in the Mahatmaji, the Ali brothers and other leaders unshaken. (5) That Hakim Ajmal Khan, Dr. Ansari are requested not to have an interview with the Viceroy until the Ali brothers' case is settled to the satisfaction of the public.

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The Walluvanad police are enquiring into the petition signed by several Moplahs, alleging that they have been socially and otherwise boycotted and molested by a Musaliar and nine Khilafat propagandists for refusing to join the movement. The police have warned the counter-petitioners. Authorities in Ernad and Walluvanad are cancelling arms licenses held by persons known to belong to the Khilafat and non-cooperation parties.

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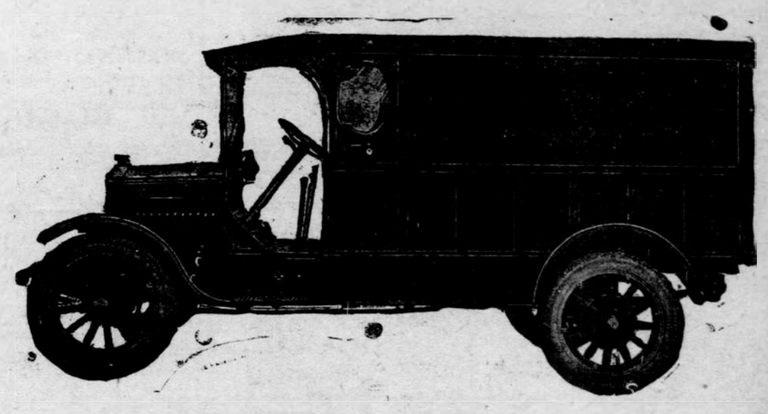

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